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Ithaca, N. Y. Jan 8 1889

My Dear Deane:

The books are at hand in excellent condition, and I am under great obligations to you for your pains. I am tickled to get them, as you may imagine. I did not expect that you would send them until sent the money. The fact is, I am dead-broke! I will remit next week, however, and hope that the delay will not inconvenience you.

The specimen of "*C. fibifolia*" in Herb. Schw. is not an original one, as it comes from N. England, while Nuttall's type came from the Missouri.

I want you to look up *Carex Porteri* for me. You will find it with the *C. crinita* cover, I think. I send you by mail a form of *C. crinita* from Mt. Desert which I think is the same. Compare it. Notice particularly the small size, small & loose-flowered spikes, shorter & narrower and smoother scales. The specimen is not mine, and I

enclose Stamp for its return. Busy  
on my Carey paper.

Yours truly,

L. H. Bailey

ITHACA, N. Y.,

Jan. 10, 1889

My Dear Deane:

Dr. Haberer is heard from at last, and I send you his interesting letter to read. By this mail I also send his catalogue of Utica plants.

I shall make a desperate effort to get to the office this forenoon, and shall then be glad to look up the carices for Professor Wright.

Our promised nurse-girl never appeared, but another one applied, and she is a treasure. If we had had her during your visit we could have made things much pleasanter.

Snow.

Yours -  
L. H. B.



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My Dear Deane:

I am greatly obliged to you for your trouble in looking up *Carex Porteri*. I am deep into my *Carex* paper yet, but I do not progress rapidly. The species I am revising are all exceedingly critical ones, and they require much care. I have been two days — all the time I can put on the matter each day — on *Carex miliaris*, and am just now beginning to see light. It is one of the most puzzling things in all our catalogue. Hope to complete the paper this month.

I enclose check for five dollars, and hope that covers your outlay. It does not be sure to say so. I am mightily glad of the books, I tell you.

Yours truly,  
L. H. Bailey



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Jan. 21, 1889

My Dear Deane:

Much obliged for your  
note on *Lycopodium Carolin-*  
*ianum*. I looked over my  
specimens and found one spec.  
I did not have it. Certainly  
the same label applies.

I have just had a fine  
big package of Carexes from  
Scotland, from my good friend  
Bailey Balfour. Most of them  
were collected before Innes  
born. I also have word that

Greenland and Brazilian  
Cereuses are on the way to me.

Not well yet. Longpull.

Yours truly  
Bailey.



# Whitcomb house,

209 East Main Street,

WHITCOMB & DOWNS, PROP'S.

Rochester, N. Y. Jan. 24 1889

My Dear Deane:

I am now  
on the go again. Three weeks  
at home is about as much  
as I can ever count on at  
one time now-a-days. Last-  
Saturday I spoke in Albany,  
day before yesterday in Lock-  
port, yesterday in Rochester,  
and day after to-morrow I am  
due in Canandaigua. Last Tues-  
day I was billed to speak in  
two remote parts of the State  
at the same hour. One party  
didn't see me.

I go home to-night to  
see the folks, whom I left  
last Monday.

Hope that Mrs. D. continues to im-  
prove. Yours in

L. H. Bailey



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My Dear Deane:

Yours of the 27th is at hand.

By this mail I send you *Carex rosea* and *C. grandis* (*C. gigantea* of Manual). *C. Vaseyi* is ordinary *C. monile*. *C. flaccosperma* does not occur in Manual region (*See C. glaucoidea*). "*C. rotundata*" & "*C. pulle*" of Manual have been collected but once.

I am deep into my *Carex* paper yet, altho' I begin to see light through the woods at the further side. In looking up my notes and specimens of Liebnau's Mexican *C. turbinata*, I find it distinct from our poor old *C. varia*, so that this latter species has no name whatever! I shall call it *C. communis*.

Will you not look up a matter for me?

In Torrey's Monogr. Cyper. p. 389, please copy descriptions and habitats of

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The two varieties of *C. rosea* - var. *retroflexa*  
and var. *Texensis*.

Then in Muhl. in Willd. *Bot. Pl.* iv. 235,

give habitat of *C. retroflexa*.

Something is wrong here, and I cannot  
go on with my work until it is cleared  
up.

I have not seen the Cal. Rep. but will  
send for it. I have requested Dr. Beal to  
send you a copy of the Michigan Forestry  
Report. It contains pictures which I  
took.

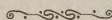
Did you receive the \$5.00?

Yours -

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Jan. 21, 1889

My Dear Deane:

Yes, the Carex is var. Deanei.

We will get it on Mt. Marcy.

The C. debilis from Little Rock  
is the species, — what was once  
my var. prohioa.

The Greenland Carexes represent a good number of species but  
mightily few specimens, as you  
may suppose.

Yours —

Bailey



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Ithaca, N. Y., Feb. 7, 1889

My Dear Deane:

This morning I am delighted to get a beautiful and useful map from you. You are very kind and thoughtful and I appreciate it, I assure you. Nothing could have pleased me better. For I have wanted just such. You must also accept thanks for the notes on *C. rosea*. This is the last puzzle in this long career struggle, and I shall finish my paper for the Torrey Memoirs to-day. I am already head and ears into the Manual Carices.

No, you need not expect to get the introduction and plates of the manual until some new collector finds them. By my Carix paper you will see that those plants are forms of *C. miliaris* (the new Carix paper, when it comes). That paper will also explain

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the old *C. laevigata* puzzle.

I have also looked for the bears but cannot find them. I did not take that picture. My pictures are as follows: Front-piece; p. 30; 34; 35; 49; 51.

I wrote Dr. Heberer as soon as you wrote me, but have not heard. Have written him two or three times on my own account but have had no replies. Wonder if he is still living?

I have just bought \$15 worth of genus covers for Gares.

Yours as ever,

L. H. Bailey

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Ithaca, N. Y., Feb 19 1889

My Dear Deane: As soon as I rec'd your last letter, I wrote to a friend in Europe asking for the carices you want. *C. rotundata* does not occur in America south of Greenland. R. S. Williams, Great Falls, Montana, sends me, among other things, good specimens of *C. Torreyi*. But the most singular thing among carices is the appearance of *C. Rothiana* in Indiana! I have just received specimens. It is wonderful that it should be found there. They were found by my colleague, W. R. Dudley, and you may be able to get a specimen by writing him. This species is now *C. bidentata*.

Yours in a hurry,  
J. H. R.



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Ithaca, N. Y., Feb. 23 1889

My Dear Friend:

You had better write to R. S. Williams for *Carex Torreyi*. He sent me two or three culms in fine condition. It is a nice species. My Manual work is now well along, and I shall take a long breath when it is done. With the work of inaugurating my department here, this abundance of *Carex* work comes as a burden. My long paper for the new Torrey Memoirs is now printing. I think that it will make at least 75 pages. I had of course expected to send you a copy of this paper, but the Torrey Club must sell to aid in defraying expense of publication, and I have therefore promised not to distribute any copies in this country.

I am now done with 125 species for the manual. There are 141 in all. Although the number of species is less than in the last Manual, the number of plants — varieties, hybrids, and

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all - is increased by about 40. The new Manual will contain 215 *Carex*, all told, - a large lot to describe, I assure you. It is a formidable task to describe 215 plants in such a manner that one shall not be taken for another in a genus so critical as *Carex*.

Among the species which have always perplexed me is *Carex Novae-Angliae*. Two well marked forms of this species occur in New England, one alpine, one subalpine and lower. I have now seen Schweinitz's original, and find that he had the taller form of the lower lands. The pretty little alpine plant must therefore take a varietal name, and in complement to my best of friends, who loves the flora of his own New England so well, I have named it var. Seaneii. I transcribe the descriptions as they are written for the Manual:

*C. Novae-Angliae* Schw. Diffuse, 10' to 15' high, some of the culms very prominently longer than the leaves; one or two lowest bracts leafy and

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Mostly exceeding the culm; Staminate Spike 2" to 5" long, sessile or very short-peduncled, often oblique; Pistillate Spikes two or three on the culm and approximated or distributed through a space four inch or less and the lowest always short-peduncled, commonly a few others radical and long-peduncled, all 2- to 8-flowered and mostly greenish-purple; perigynium very small, much attenuated below, hairy, longer than the acutish scale; stigmas often 2. —

Mountain Swamps, N. New England, and probably in N. New York: rare.

Var. Deanei Bailey. Lower and more diffuse, 2' to 6' high, the culms proportionately shorter. Staminate Spike shorter and entirely hidden; pistillate Spikes all contiguous or rarely one or two radical; perigynium much smoother. — Dryer soils, high mountains of N. Hampshire and Vermont.

By this mail I send you a small sample of "your" Carex. Y

Yours ever, L. H. Bailey



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Ithaca ~~Mar~~ 2, 1889

My Dear Deane:

Surely here is a coincidence!  
Our letters crossed in the mails. Yours brought me an unnamed variety of Carex Nova-Englae, and mine carried you another unnamed, or at least unpublished, variety of the same species! Your specimen is an exceedingly valuable one, for it is a part of Wm. Booth's original of C. brevipes! In my Synopsis, I referred this to C. Nova-Englae. I also made the reservation that the western specimens should probably stand as var. depressa. In my more recent studies of this cosmopolitan — or at least widely distributed — mountain species, I have become convinced that the western specimens are of varietal importance, and it has also appeared that C. brevipes should be raised to varietal rank. But I have hesitated because I

Have only one specimen of C. brevipes. Now  
Yours comes, and helps me out amazingly.  
My specimen is twin to yours, from  
the same collection, no doubt. The species  
was found upon Summit-Camp. I shall  
probably call it C. Novae-Angliae var.  
Boottii. I shall take the liberty of re-  
taining your specimen for a few days.

Now for the var. Deaneii. I was not  
sure that you had collected it, and I  
therefore hesitated between Deaneii and  
Deaneana. But I like the former better,  
and you will find the plant when again  
you go to the mountains. I have it from  
Lake Umbagog, Canada, from Macoun, and  
apparently the same from Alaska. There is  
no telling who first collected it, and there  
is no impropriety in naming it for  
a student of the flora of New England.  
It is a neat and rare little plant and I  
am heartily glad that your name is to be  
associated with it.

Prof. Dudley said that he had heard

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From you. I recommended you highly.  
He did not say anything about sending  
you plants.

The following are good collectors of  
Carex outside our limits: Prof. Macoun;  
R. S. Williams, Great Falls, Montana; Prof.  
L. F. Henderson, Portland, Oregon; Dr. W. E.  
Hesse, Los Angeles, Cal. Aside from an  
occasional specimen from Dr. Mohr, I rarely  
get a Carex from the Southern States.

About May 1st. we expect to  
begin to build a residence upon the  
campus. My new greenhouse is now in  
running order.

Regards to Mrs. D.

Yours  
L. H. Bailey

Horticultural Department of Cornell University Experiment Station.

L. H. BAILEY.

Ithaca, N. Y.,

Mar 4

1889.

My dear Deane: Now indeed am I  
in trouble! In studying again  
*C. Norae-Augliae*, it seems that  
Hornemann's name, *C. deflexa*, is the  
older! I have written Mr. Watson  
for information. In that case,  
all must be changed.

Yours Truly,  
L. H. Bailey





NOTHING BUT THE ADDRESS TO BE ON THIS SIDE.

Walter Deane,  
Drewster Place,  
Cambridge, Mass.

MAR 6 1894  
NEW YORK

# CONGRESS HALL

HEATED BY STEAM.

J. BURNETT, PROPRIETOR.

J. F. STRAIN, MANAGER.

Dyons, N. Y., Mar. 8, 1889

My Dear Deane:

I am exceedingly  
obliged to you for the  
Summit Camp Carep. You  
know how a fellow will some-  
times avoid a hard puzzle,  
and work about it for years,  
when he might untangle it  
in a few hours if he were to  
set about it. Now our  
many forms of *C. Novae-Angliae*  
*Compnise* just such a case.  
It is the one species which I  
have not understood. I recog-  
nized your carep at once as  
W. Booth's *C. brevipes*, and having

required so much additional  
material, determined to mutangle  
my doubts and perplexities of  
*C. Novae-Angliae*. Soon dis-  
covered that my reference to  
the publication of Hornemann's *C.*  
*deflexa* was erroneous, and that  
the species was probably older than  
Schumacher's. So I wrote to Mr.  
Watson for information, and found  
Hornemann's name to date from  
1821, while Schumacher's dates  
from 1824. He also sent me  
the cover of *C. Novae-Angliae*, and  
have time to make a revision  
for my paper in the new Memoirs.  
*C. deflexa* is exactly the plant I  
have called *C. Novae-Angliae* var.  
*Deanei*, so that I enclose a  
label for the plant which I  
sent you under that name a  
few days ago. But you name



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J. BURNETT, PROPRIETOR.

J. F. STRAIN, MANAGER.

Dyons, N. Y., \_\_\_\_\_ 18

will be attached to another plant,  
none other than the one figured  
by Poott as *C. Novae-Angliae* in  
his second volume. This  
plant stands midway between  
*C. deflexa* and *C. Robert-Bynnae*.  
I am not now prepared to give you  
the characters, but the species  
will stand as follows:

*C. deflexa* Hornem.

<sup>Subalpine - N.H., Vt., and high northward.</sup>  
var. *Deaner*

*C. Novae-Angliae* Poott

Subalpine regions of N.H., Vt.,  
N.Y. & N.

var. *Novae-Angliae*

*C. Novae-Angliae* Schur.

var. \_\_\_\_\_ (name not yet chosen).

*C. Novae-Angliae* var. *deflexa*  
W. America. Bailey

Var. *Rossii*  
*C. Rossii* Doott

Var. *Doottii*  
*C. brevipes* W. Doott

I now fully understand this widely spread and very confusing species, and the characters come out nicely. The confusing of so many forms has always hindered a clear conception of the species by anyone. And you are to have the credit of inciting the entanglement. Is not that reason enough for a var. *Deanei*?

Yours as ever,  
L. H. Bailey

Of course all this change will be made for the new Manual.



METROPOLITAN HOTEL,

Broadway and Prince Street.

JOHN M. OTTER, Manager.

New York, Mch. 13, 1889

My Dear Deane:

Your "*C. conjuncta*"  
is only a small *C. stipata*.  
When once you see good  
fruit of *C. conjuncta* you  
will remember it.

I have returned the  
Californian carex. I have  
finished my study of *C.*  
*Novae-Angliae*, and have  
arrived at a positive con-  
clusion, and one which  
has surprised myself.  
But *C. deflexa* var. *Deanei*





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Must stand for all that I can  
see. It is a nice plant,  
quite as good as the  
one with which I at  
first associated your  
name.

Yours truly,  
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My Dear Deane:

Yes, it is a close shave.

Nature must always take risks on names of plants. But I see nothing in the way of your variety now. The plant from Casick is *C. deflexa*. That from Pringle is the var. *Deaneii*. You will still be surprised to see what I have done with *Novae-Angliae* when the memoirs appear. But no one can be so surprised as I am myself, but it is right. Don't know the altitude of Ripton, but it is in the mountain chain. Will find out. Saw Rusty two or three days ago.

Dudley found only young specimens of *C. Boothiana*.  
Yours in haste,  
L. H. Bailey

Lackport, N. Y. McL 20 1887

My Dear I came:

What was I in Lyons  
for? To lecture. What was I  
in N.Y. for? On my way to  
Jamaica Long Island, to lec-  
ture. What am I here for?  
Not to lecture. I declined  
all further invitations to  
speak, and was just set-  
tling down to work, when  
yesterday the Sheriff of  
Niagara Co., pounced  
down upon me with a  
subpoena! To I am here, a  
prey of lawyers! I am  
called in as an expert wit-  
ness in a case of peach



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Yellows. It is an exceedingly important case, as it is designed to test the validity of a new state law framed for the purpose of mitigating this contagious disease.

Yours, in equity,  
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Ithaca, N. Y. McL 23 1889

My Dear Deane:

I was much entertained by the breezy letters from Morong, and am much obliged for the opportunity to see them. -- God, am anxious to see the Memoirs. They are dreadfully slow. Have not yet read half the Proof.

Yes, tell Mr. Raust to send his Caricae. I cannot promise to look at them at once, I am worked to death, with so many demands upon my head and hands. And Caricae come to me with perplexing regularity and frequency. I must have 600 or more specimens stuffed away to mount, the accumulation of the last 3 mos. Then I am contemplating overhauling all my sedge -- if I can get the time! -- Labelling each specimen with a distinct and authentic label, and putting every species and variety in

a cover by itself. I have a box of  
1000 genus covers of a new and pretty style,  
which I have not yet unpacked. They have  
been in my office for weeks. Luckily  
they are paid for! I have also neat labels  
printed for these covers.

I have just got a bit of C. House-  
Angliae from Prince Edward Island,—  
the fourth locality known!

Mrs. D. says that you and I must  
be lovers! How is it?

Yours truly &c  
L. H. Bailey.

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Ithaca, N. Y., Apr. 3, 1889

My Dear Deane:

Both the specimens of *Carex* from Mr. McDonald are *C. stipata*. *C. stipata* varies much in all its characters, but *C. conjuncta* is ~~constant~~<sup>so</sup> far as I am able to learn, and I see no indication of their running together. *C. conjuncta* is very rare. I have but six specimens, and from only two collectors, E. Hall, Menard Co., Illinois, and J. C. Martindale, Camden, N. J.

I have had and returned Mr. Rand's plants. Two very nice things were among them, both new to Maine; *C. deflexa* var. *Deanei*, and the true *C. Noron. Anglica*.

Writing for the Century Dictionary! How you soar! In your flight don't forget us humbler devils who must needs stick to earth.

Yes, I am "j-r" as much as ever, but am tired of writing an appendage which does no good.

Yours truly,  
T. H. Bailey



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Ithaca, N. Y., April, 1889

My Dear Deane:

I want to get seeds to sow of  
*Raphanus Raphanistrum*. Who can get  
them for me?

Prof. Prainerd writes me as follows  
regarding the elevation of Ripton: "The crest  
of the Green Mts. passes through the  
town of Ripton, reaching at one point to an  
elevation of about 3800 ft. The *Carex Worae-  
Aughiae* [*C. deflexa*] came from the vicinity of  
a small pond xxx at an altitude of about  
1300 ft."

I have hired a student and have gone  
into my hay with a vengeance. It is now  
all in my herbarium, and every species, variety,  
and Hybrid has a separate cover. I am  
proud of the pile, I assure you. Species like  
*C. stricta* I have been obliged to put into  
two covers.

Yours +

L. H. Bailey

Ithaca, Apr. 10 1899

I knew that Williams would send  
You some nice things. I have  
named all his sedges, I think.  
Did he send you *C. Douglasii* var.  
*laxiflora*? Not telling when I shall  
be in Cambridge. When I come,  
shall look over your plants. Or  
maybe I can get time to  
look them over here. Beggs my love  
to-day!  
L. H. B.



NOTHING BUT THE ADDRESS TO BE ON THIS SIDE.

Walter Deane,  
Brester Place,  
Cambridge, Mass.

Ithaca, Apr. 19, 1869.

My Dear Deane:

I am in your debt  
two letters and a card. I am  
obliged for the note on the  
Station of *C. acutiformis*, and  
will make mention of the  
fact in the Manual. By the  
way, do you know how far  
along the Manual is? I am  
hoping every mail to have a  
letter from Mr. Watson, asking for  
my copy, for I am all the time  
interlining it and making cor-  
rections. I once sent it to  
him, and then asked to have  
it back. He told me that I  
should keep <sup>it</sup> until he calls for  
it. The corrections are mostly  
such as relate to distribution.  
Where is Plainfield, Mass.? I see *C.*  
*novae-Angliae* comes from there.  
When the new Manual comes out,



2/  
You will find that you lack  
very many Manual Species.

Sets. is enough for William's  
carices, although they are worth  
it, for they are always nice and  
they come from an interesting  
region. The *C. gynocrates* is  
probably slight, as the spike is  
occasionally androgynous. Your  
figure represents but one spike,  
staminate above and pistillate  
below, after the manner of *C.*  
*paniculiflora*. When the pistillate  
portion is reduced to one per-  
gynium, it becomes Macoun's  
*C. macrocarpa*. I too, lack  
ripe fruit of *C. Fraseni*, believe.  
It is very hard to get. What an  
odd species it is! It is a wonder  
that its congener is not found  
in Japan.

I was glad of the note  
concerning Morong. How I  
should like to have him visit  
me when he returns! I hope

3/ that he will give us a book.

I am now confined to the house with a sprained ankle. It is nothing serious, so that I shall be out in a few days. But it is mighty inconvenient, especially as Mrs. Bailey is in Michigan, and I have to paddle my own canoe.

Yours truly,

L. H. Bailey

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## HORTICULTURAL DEPARTMENT.

L. H. BAILEY, PROFESSOR OF HORTICULTURE.

Ithaca, N. Y.,

May 1, 1889

My Dear Deane:

A knock at my door, and who enters! Dr. Kennedy and his son! I was much surprised and more delighted. Their stay was very brief, and to me it <sup>was</sup> unsatisfactory because I had no home or accommodations by which to entertain them. But we had a couple pleasant chats, and I learned recent news of you. Hope soon to have a place to put my friends when they come. My house, in structure, has not progressed beyond the excavation of the cellar, but in plans and letting of contracts it is nearly done. I am building in a low place, and the rains of the last

Few days have made a Frog pond  
of my would-be cellar. One profes-  
sor comes along and says, "Th he!  
going to raise fish?" Another says,  
"Th he! you will have to develop  
gills." But I am keeping my  
mouth shut and am the while  
concocting mighty plans. The water  
is one of the attractions of the place.  
I can turn it all clear of my cellar,  
and I shall build my cellar very  
high so that my house will stand  
so high as those of my neighbors.  
And then that water! A L he! wont  
I have a caricetum! Sedges of  
Swamps, sedges of bogs, sedges  
of Snails will flourish as the tad-  
pole; and just adjacent, on the  
dry sand and clay, will grow  
sedges of glades, sedges of Lills,



Sedges of banks, sedges of rocks,  
sedges of shades!

Drop me a note.

Yours &c.  
L. H. Bailey

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## HORTICULTURAL DEPARTMENT.

L. H. BAILEY, PROFESSOR OF HORTICULTURE.

Ithaca, N. Y., May 5, '89

My Dear Isaac:

No, I cannot suggest a name for the queer little Composite. It must be a foreigner, I doubt if it belongs to the *Figulatae*. Some of the inner fls. appear to be tubular. It looks like some *Aster* or *Engelmannia*. I shall be glad to know what you find it to be.

The cress from Bendel is *C. stipata*.

Your New Brunswick correspondent has got a job on his hands if he collects the useful plants of all countries. The only way is to write, and write, and write again, to everyone, anyone, everywhere. This is what I am doing all the time, writing to all countries for seeds and roots of economic plants, fruits, wild and cultivated, especially. But it-

is only semi-occasionally that I get anything, and then, two to one, it won't grow. But I shall persist, always and everywhere. But one of my requests has been enormously prolific. I called upon Dr Urban, Head gardener of the Königl. Botanischen Garten, Berlin, and asked for fine plants of Ribes, Rubus, and Rnuns. A few days ago a box came containing 202 species and wild varieties of these genera!

I had a good letter from Mr. Morong a few days ago, containing seeds of an edible Physalis. He is well, and still in ascension.

I now have promise of all the carices of New Zealand, and many from Australia.

I hope that your father is better. This is a glorious day. Trees in bloom and our wild and romantic landscapes are gorgeous. Yours as ever, L. H. Bailey

Horticultural Department of Cornell University Experiment Station.

L. H. BAILEY.

Ithaca, N. Y.,

May 14 1889

Dear D;

Am glad that you like my  
Chromo. Have not had  
Morang's letter. Many seeds  
are sown for the caricetum. Have  
you shown Mr. Watson the  
Composite? If you have any seeds of  
Lactuca scariola you think w'd grow, send me  
some.

Yours truly  
L. H. Bailey





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SIMON FORD,

New York May 24 1889

My Dear Deane:

It has been some days since I have heard from you. Mr. Morong's letter was returned a few days ago. He must be doing an immense amount of work. I hope that he will get through with it safely, and will feel disposed to give us a book of his travels.

There is nothing particularly new in my affairs. The Carex paper must be about ready to distribute. I sent back the last proofs, and the index, some 10 days ago. It will contain some

90 pages.

Mr. Watson writes me  
for specimens of Acrida, so  
I suppose the Manual is  
getting well along. We  
need it sorely.

Yours as ever,  
L. H. Bailey

# CONGRESS HALL

HEATED BY STEAM.

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Dyons, N. Y., May 20, 1889

My Dear Deane:

I am very sorry to hear of your illness, but hope that your hopes of recovery are fully realized before this.

Where do you spend your summer?

Farwell is in an interesting region, and he now makes fairly good specimens. A couple of years ago, he sent me the worst rubbish I ever saw. I gave it all to a student, and wrote Farwell that the specimens were abominable and that I should not even look them

over. He took it - all in good  
part and wrote for hints. This year  
He sent me some very nice  
things in good condition. The  
outlandish names you mention  
are all my children. What a  
family I am getting! Some-  
thing like a hundred christen-  
ings there must be in my new  
paper! My Herbarium con-  
tains more types of North Ameri-  
can species than any other in  
existence! I can imagine how,  
in some future year, some new  
student of the genus will pull  
over my specimens and perhaps  
curse the maker of them! But they  
are all there, and all plainly  
labelled and explained. Nothing is  
in any way hidden.

Yours truly,

L. H. Bailey



Hudson & House,

M. HUDSON, Proprietor.

Lansing, Mich. June 3 1889

My Dear Jane: If I do not hear from you in a day or two, I shall fear that you are having a relapse. Post-mail is probably following me, and, I hope, will catch me soon.

This is a backward time here. Decoration day was ornamented with snow! Unprecedented. And all due, no doubt, to change of administration at Washington.

Haughton, Mifflin Co. have asked me for another book. They are starting a series. Don't know where the time and brains are coming from.

Yours as ever,  
T. H. Bailey

Columbus, O., June 13, 1889

My Dear Deane:

As I walked to-day over the Pleasant Fields, I suddenly became insane, and mentally stood on my head and clapped my heels together in wild delight: I stood beside a tuft of *Carex conjuncta*! I was so overdone that when, five minutes later, I saw a fine clump of *Carex Shortiana* I could only sit down and complacently grin. Ten minutes thereafter I stood beside an enormous clump of *Carex ens-coris*,

all but beside myself with  
delight; and yet five minutes  
later I was pulling up fine speci-  
mens of one of my recent  
varieties of a singular species,  
and was beside myself with so  
sudden discoveries of four  
species which I had never  
seen growing before. All  
such common things as  
*C. Jamesii* (*C. Steudelii*), *C.*  
*grisea*, *C. turida*, *C. grisea*, *C.*  
*cephaloidea*, and others, altho'  
common, has no attraction  
for me.

When I returned to Lau-  
ring the other day from a  
season of delight on the banks  
of my own Lake Michigan, I was  
disappointed not to find a  
letter from you. Are you  
still ill?

Yours truly, L. H. Bailey

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L. H. BAILEY, PROFESSOR OF HORTICULTURE.

Ithaca, N. Y., June 9, 1889.

My Dear Deane;

I am glad to know that you  
are not dead. Where do you spend the  
vacation? Next year you must come  
to us.

You may depend upon being con-  
fined with E. Cris. I am sur-  
prised that Lepidium rudiculis is so  
common with you. I must search  
some of it. Don't forget to collect  
the ripe seeds of Carica this summer.  
I am in for a bag-hay garden,  
you know.

Commencement to-morrow.

Regards to Mrs. D. I hope that you  
will rapidly regain when you reach  
the country.

How do you like your  
C. deflexa. Deane?

L. H. Bailey

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## HORTICULTURAL DEPARTMENT.

L. H. BAILEY, PROFESSOR OF HORTICULTURE.

Ithaca, N. Y., July 7, 1887

My dear Deane: I am in your debt two letters  
and a card. I am obliged to you for re-  
membering me so well, while I have  
not replied. I have been getting out a  
bulletin, and all my energy and time  
of late have been put upon it.

I am glad that you are so nicely set  
for the summer, and that Mrs. Deane is  
improving.

I think that you have C. deflexa var.  
Deansi, - the plant from Hye Pond by  
Pringle? He once wrote me about  
it. You ought to find the plant on  
any of the New Hampshire mts. of volcanic  
height, I should think. Farnell sends  
me a crumpled specimen in a letter for  
identification, and it appears to be some  
form of C. deflexa. The species has never



been found in the Superior country.

Thanks for the cases seeds. Some of the seeds which I got across the ocean are nicely up. I hope to get my ground in shape to begin the collection this fall. I shall sow your seeds to-morrow.

Mrs. Frank Adams died yesterday after a long and very trying illness. The remains have gone to run labor for interment.

I have no time to scrawl.

Yours truly,  
L. H. Bailey

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## HORTICULTURAL DEPARTMENT.

L. H. BAILEY, PROFESSOR OF HORTICULTURE.

Ithaca, N. Y., July 11, 1889

My Dear Deane:

Yesterday I had a fine letter  
from Mr. Marang, enclosing seeds of a  
native Opium. He sent me seeds of  
an edible physalis last spring, but I  
could get only one plant from the  
lot. He is still in Asuncion, and  
expects to remain there until January.

When I went to see the Carex  
seeds you sent me, I found that the  
one you called *C. debilis* is *C. arctata*.  
But it is just as acceptable, as I had  
neither. Over 100 pots of Carex seeds  
are now sown, and many roots have  
been transplanted to pots. A good number  
of my Scotch seeds have germinated.

Hope you are having a good time.

Yours truly, L. H. Bailey

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L. H. BAILEY, PROFESSOR OF HORTICULTURE.

Ithaca, N. Y., July 20, 1889

My Dear Deane:

I am very glad of your letters and am much obliged for all the seeds you have sent. They are all acceptable. When you come to see me I hope to show you plants from seeds of your collecting.

The caryops you sent in your letter of the 15th from Monadnock is *C. canescens* var. *alpicola*, squinting towards var. *vulgaris*. Yes, I should like *Juncus trifidus*.

I am glad to have the caryops you sent in your last. It is Dewey's *C. stricta*. I have sometimes thought it worth making a variety of *C. stricta*, but never knew enough about its habit to feel safe in doing so. I am therefore particularly interested in your notes on it. Please

See if its character of growing as isolated plants is pretty constant and send me specimens, if you can.

I think that Farnell sent me all the *C. deflexa* var. *media* he had, and the specimens were so poor that I could just determine the species. I had to get a second batch from him in order to make sure.

Yours truly,

T. H. Gailey

Address me simply  
to Thoreau.



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J. C. GRIGGS, Proprietor.

Newburgh, N. Y. July 30, 1889.

My Dear Anne:

Before I left home I had another letter from Mr. Morgan. He requested that I send it to you, and I will do so when I get back.

This is a delightful old place, even if it is in Newburgh. The Highlands of the Hudson begin here, and Cronis Nest and other famous mountains are near by. A short distance below is West Point.



The Hudson well deserves  
its common phrase  
"The Rhine of America". It is  
a noble stream, nobler  
to my mind than even the  
Father of Waters.

Hope that you  
are having a pleasant  
Summer.

Yours truly,  
L. H. Bailey

Ithaca, Aug. 2, 1889.

My Dear Deane:

I am much obliged for seeds of  
*Carex trisperma* — which I did not have  
and also for the *C. stricta* notes. I un-  
derstand your description fully, but — I  
have not enough material from var-  
ious parts of the country to warrant me  
in separating a var. *strictior*. I do  
not know if the short scales and  
castaneous spikes always accompany  
the habit of growth which you  
describe. But I shall file your  
notes for future use.

I enclose Mr. Morong's last letter.

I am sorry to hear of your father's con-  
tinued illness.

Y

Yours as ever,

J. H. Bailey

Galathea is written; now I am going  
at another. Am building a house and  
it takes lots of time and thought, and  
I am scant of either. The queer Carey  
from Farmore is *C. deflexa* v. Media!  
Another interlining for my *Man.*  
I hope to get it into the Manual  
— my copy — so that I can  
make no more corrections. My Carey  
and from Europe are coming up.  
Sorry for your father's ill health.  
— Pearson Bailey / 87

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Walter D. Lane  
Care of Mrs. A. J. D. Pierce,  
East-Jaffrey, N. H.

Horticultural Department of Cornell University Experiment Station.

L. H. BAILEY.

Ithaca, N. Y.,

Aug. 13,

1889.

My Dear Deane:

No, you need make no further acknowledgment—of the bulletin. It represents an enormous amount of work. You shall not look in vain for the forms of *Carex umbellata*,—mighty-interesting. We expect to move in about 5 weeks. After that, I shall get at my plants again, Well.

L. H. Bailey





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Walter Deane,  
Care Mrs. A. D. Peaces  
East Jaffrey,  
New Hampshire.

Aug. 23. 1889

My Dear Deane;

The fine lot of *Carex foli-  
hicalata* is at hand, and  
will go into the ground  
to-morrow. I am deep into the  
study of Cucurbitaceae. Have polli-  
nated 200 or 300 flowers so far this  
year.

Yours

L. H. Bailey

Walter Dean,  
East Lafayette,  
New Hampshire.

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L. H. BAILEY, PROFESSOR OF HORTICULTURE.

Ithaca, N. Y., Sept. 8, 1889.

My Dear Deane: I find that your letter of August 26 is still unacknowledged. As a matter of fact, I have no time for letter writing off to except Sundays. My gardening work, quantities of writing for the press, and the building of a house make 24 hours too few for the days.

The finishing is going on in the house, and we shall get in by the last of the month.

Yes, I label each case with a stake, and when they go into our garden, they will all be labeled. They are all in pots now, for my premises are not yet ready to receive them. And then it usually

requires two years for cactus  
seeds to germinate. Yet I have  
a few plants from the seeds of  
Cactus crinitus which you sent  
me. Among my interesting plants  
is a single specimen of Physalis per-  
uviana seeds, the only plant I  
got. This stands out of doors. It is now  
budded, but I fear will not  
blossom before frost. I have therefore  
taken cuttings and shall try to force  
it during winter.

I am much pained to  
hear of your father's continued ill-  
ness. I am hoping for the best,  
but your letters do not encourage  
me. What is the diagnosis of the  
trouble?

I hope that you and Mrs. D.  
are well.

Yours truly,  
J. A. Bailey



Your card of the 9th  
announces that you went  
home suddenly. I am sorry  
for the occasion which calls  
you home, and shall hope  
for brighter news. I wrote you a  
letter to E. Jaffrey a few days  
ago. It has probably been for-  
warded to you. All well.  
Sept. 15, 1870. Yours in L. H. Bailey



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Walter Deane  
Drewster Place,  
Cambridge, Mass.)

9thaca NY

Cornell University.

Ithaca, N. Y., Oct. 3 1889

My Dear Deane:

I am in your debt again, but I am so completely torn up getting into the new house that I have difficulty in finding writing paper even. And to make confusion interminably I am moving my office as well. Half the time I don't know where to find myself. I am head over heels into every thing, and yet I don't seem to do much.

I called on Prof. Dudley, and he said that he would look among his plants for Aster Trach-

canti for you; but he  
doubts if he has du-  
plicates. I am an-  
ticipating the Manual  
soon.

How we should like  
to have you and Mrs.  
Deane see us in our  
new home when we  
get thoroughly settled. As  
happy as a puddle of  
frogs, and as busy as  
a nest of ants! Term  
has opened and I am ear-  
deep in work.

Yours, half asleep,  
L. A. Bailey

Tell me how your  
father is.

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L. H. BAILEY, PROFESSOR OF HORTICULTURE

Ithaca, N. Y., Oct. 10, 1889

My Dear Deane:

Much obliged for the Eupatorium seeds. I shall sow them.

We are now in the new house, although there are two or three rooms in which the painter is still working. It is very nice, and we are beginning to feel decent again. We have been beggars all summer. When all is straightened out,

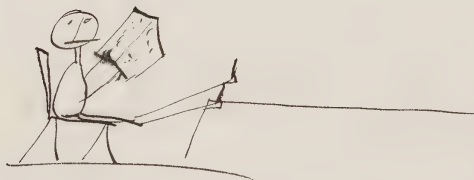
I will take some photographs and let you see the domicile. I have a nice little conservatory opening off my study, and have herbarium cases built in my room. When I get straightened out, I shall enjoy myself like a pig in puddley. Come to see me!

You have no idea of the number of things I have on hand, and the amount of writing I do. The little article I sent you from Agricultural Science is only one of many this summer.



I have been much amused at Conlter's  
review of my bulletin on seeds in the  
last Gazette. I have written him a friendly  
letter, a copy of which I enclose. When  
you have read it, return.

Yours, laid at it,  
L. H. Bailey



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ITHACA, N. Y.,

Oct. 18, 1889

My Dear Deane:

The first tints of the morning are creeping from behind the eastern hills, and the quiet landscapes are just rubbing their eyes. The clear sky and hazy distances betoken another of our soft and Golden Indian summer days. The maples and oaks are profligate of color, and over my garden the great and golden pumpkins beam in the faint morning light. I love to awake with nature, to follow her course through the long and quiet days.

I had a fine letter from Mr. Morong two or three days ago. He is well and happy — or was on Sept. 2. I have already answered him.

Much obliged for the seeds. They shall be divided between the garden

and herbarium.

I am building two glass houses,  
one for cucumbers and one for tomatoes.  
I am planning and superintending them  
myself. I have them on hand to-day,  
and also some other things, as, for instance,  
the taking of 35 photographs of Cucurbits,  
a lecture at 12, reception at 2, faculty  
meeting 4-6, engagement for the  
evening, and five or six articles  
to write for various papers and  
things.

Good by.

F. H. Bailey

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ITHACA, N. Y.,

Oct. 20, 1889

My Dear Deane:

I never saw fruit of either  
*Hemerocallis fulva* or *Flava*.

I shall be glad to get your  
package, even though I have every-  
thing you send. Your specimens are  
always good.

The older I grow the busier  
and meaner I get. I am one of  
the editors of *American Garden*, and  
the managing editor is coming up from  
New York to-morrow to hold out  
inducements for a closer connection—  
and more work.

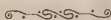
Hope you are better by this  
time.

Yours in a jiffy,  
Bailey



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ITHACA, N. Y.,

Nov. 3, 1889.

My Dear Deane;

In looking up the history of green-houses and similar structures, I find the Epigrams of Martial referred to as the earliest record on the subject. I have copied epigrams <sup>8-</sup>14 and <sup>8-</sup>68, which are the ones quoted, and I am going to ask you to put them into good English for me. I am in no hurry whatever for them. If you recall any other references to such in your studies of Latin or Greek or of Ancient history, please let me know it.

I have another letter from Mr. Morong since last I wrote you. It contains a 12-page letter size article on the horticulture of Paraguay, and is prepared by request for my Annals of Horticulture.



The editor of American Garden succeeded, as I half imagined he would, in making me promise to grind the monthly grist in my mill. More work, - but it pays well and there is glory in it.

When are you coming to see me?

Yours truly,  
L. H. Bailey

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ITHACA, N. Y., Nov. 10, 1889.

My Dear Deane:

Much obliged for the seeds. I am getting quite a collection from you.

I can appreciate Dr. Goodale's happiness, and am glad for him and for botany.

You had better not buy the "notable new books", for they may not be worth the price.

I am busy now on Annals. Rule-Book is in press. I have also 7 public lectures ahead, and no end of writing.

We are now practically all seated, although I have only my carices in cases yet. Will get the <sup>remains</sup> in this week, I expect.

We are well, and are glad to know that Mr. L. continues to improve. We sympathize deeply with you for your father's illness.

Yours truly J. H. Bailey

How does the  
Manual System?

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Nov. 13, '89

My Dear Deane:

I need not tell you that I am delighted over the fine translations and references you have sent me. I did not expect so many. Sometime next year I begin a series of articles on "Glass Gardens" and they are afterwards to appear in book form, — so the publisher says. I am greatly obliged for your help.

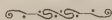
One thing more: send me Dr. Gray's recipe for poisoning plants with arsenic. I thought that I could turn right bit — in Gazette, but can't. You sent it to me once, but I lost it. Will hang bit — this time.

Yours in a hurry  
F. H. Bailey



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Nov. 16, 1889.

My Dear Deane:

I have your letter with the sad news of your father's death. Yourself and Mrs. Deane have the deepest sympathies of my self and Mrs. Bailey. I remember your father with that peculiar pleasure which comes from the meeting of one whose beautiful old age is spent in the peace of study and reflection. Very often the remembrance of that ample and beautiful library comes freshly before me, and particularly was I reminded of it and of your father by the pinet-homes which I saw in England, where it is more the habit, than with us, to spend the afternoon



of life in the enjoyment of  
home and books. It seems fit  
that the ending to so good and peace-  
ful a life should be a painless  
and quiet blending of time into  
eternity. Surely you can  
remember him with an elevated  
satisfaction.

Yours, in deepest sympathy,  
L. H. Bailey

Pallida ne Cilicium timeant pomaria brumam,  
Mordeat et tenerum fortior aura nemus  
Hibernis objecta notis specularia pueros  
Admittunt soles, et sine facce diem.

Qui Coreyræi vidit pomaria regis,  
Pus, Eatelle, tuæ præferat ille domos.  
Invida purpureas urat ne bruma racemos,  
Et gelidum Bacchi munera frigus edat;  
Condita perspicua vivit vindemia gemma.  
Et tegitur felix nec tamen uva latet  
Fæmineum hinc sic Combycina corpus:  
Calculus in nitido sic numeretur aqua.  
Quid non ingenia voluit natura licere?  
Autumnus sterilis ferre jabetur hiems.

I also find reference to  
Pliny xix, 23.

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ITHACA, N. Y.,

Nov. 17, 1889.

My Dear Deane:

Second edition, revised and im-  
proved, and brought down to date. Val.  
9 pounds. Send congratulations.

Yours Sincerely,  
Bailey.

ITHACA, N. Y.,

Thanksgiving, 1889

My Dear Deane:

I can appreciate the loneliness of your feeling since your father has gone, and you have our deepest sympathies. But you can be thankful that your father left you such sweet recollections of him.

Our second is doing well. She is fat and quiet, but does not talk yet. Mother is sitting up some, and is in excellent spirits. And I am turning off lots of work, so that we are all happy and thankful.

Our weather dissolves itself in rain most of the time for the last month, and the mud slides down the hill roads like small glaciers.

Yours ever, L. H. Bailey



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ITHACA, N. Y.,

Dec. 5.

1889

My Dear Deane:

Arrived to-day. Found 49 letters  
and a basket of papers, etc., but no  
more babies. All are well. It  
will take me a week to get my  
head above water. Mc Donald's Care is  
C. stipata Muhl.

Yours as ever,  
Bailey.

ITHACA, N. Y.,

Dec. 10, 1889

My Dear Deane:

The package and yours of the 5th are at hand. I am now so busy that I may not get the package opened much before you visit me in holidays.

I have not opened Fumell's plants. I meant that the package is in good shape. Usually his packages are so shabby that they are all loose and bent when they reach me.

My specimen of *C. flaccosperma* from Ohay is in the same condition yours is, - no locality - and no date.

All doing well. Regards to Mrs. D.

L. H. Bailey.

I enclose a list which explains itself.  
I have no time for it.

ITHACA, N. Y.,

Dec. 15- 1889

My dear Deane:

All our rooms are heated by steam.  
The best way to come here is to leave  
Boston at 7 P.M., taking a sleeper to  
Canastota. You can come by Fitch-  
burg and West Shore R.R., or by B&A,  
& N.Y. Central. The former gets you  
into Canastota a half hour earlier in  
the morning — about 6 o'clock —  
and therefore gives you more leeway  
if you happen to be a little late, as  
the train leaves for Ithaca at 7. The  
road from Canastota to Ithaca is the  
E. C. & N. (Elmira, Cortland & N.)  
I came by B&A. If you leave  
Boston at 7 or 8 in the morning  
you must stay in Canastota or  
Syracuse or Lyons over night,

so that you gain nothing. Train  
leaving Canastota at 7 gets to  
Ithaca at 9.45 A.M.

Yes, label *C. flaccosperma* from  
the South. It comes only from there.

There are 3 or 4 books on Cran-  
berries. If your friend wants to  
know about Cranberries in Mass.  
let him get Webb's little book. East-  
man's is old. White's is perhaps the  
best. sold by Orange Judd Co., N.Y.

Have just returned from Penn  
Jan. I next go Dec. 30 - Jan.  
4.

Of course you are coming.  
I can appreciate  
Rose's n.s.p.  
Yours truly,  
L.H. Bailey



ITHACA, N. Y.,

Dec. 18, 1889

My Dear Deane;

Yes, the fruit is a *Solanum*, but  
think of trying to identify it out of  
some hundreds of species! I imagine,  
however, that it is the *Pepino*,  
*Solanum Lantanae*. I will  
grow it.

Mrs Bailey will be glad to see  
you. If the babies cry, so much  
the better, for you will then add to  
your experience. I have lots on  
hand and you will excuse me  
for attending to my mail and  
looking over proofs, etc. These things  
I can catch up between times, and  
we can have a good visit.  
Let me know when to meet you. Bailey.

Horticultural Department of Cornell University Experiment Station.

L. H. BAILEY.

Ithaca, N. Y.,

Dec. 20 1889.

Good. Start Tuesday night,  
Dec. 31st. I speak in Genesee  
Dec. 30, and will get back the  
next day. Will send a substitute  
for my Jan. 4th engagement.  
Ran's plant has  
+ pretty looked  
Yours -  
Bailey





NOTHING BUT THE ADDRESS TO BE ON THIS SIDE.



Walter Deane,  
Brewster Place,  
Cambridge, Mass.

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ITHACA, N. Y.,

Dec. 22

My Dear Deane:

Yes, get breakfast at  
Canastota. The Two Good House, a  
little over a block from the Station,  
is the best place if you get in about  
on time. The E.C. & N. trainmen stop  
here also. If you are hurried, go  
to the Lewis house, by the side of the  
track.

*C. lasiflora* type, of my syn-  
opsis is a fictitious plant. No, *lasiflora*  
does not go into *tetanicæ*  
*v. Woodii*, but your specimen does.  
I understand the species now.

Next week I see you!!

Bailey

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ITHACA, N. Y.,

Dec. 27 / 1887

My Dear Deane:

This is the last time I see you!  
Next Wednesday morning! I am  
curious enough about that "Christmas  
greeting".

The enclosed plant is a seedling  
of some Ribes, — prostratum, I should  
judge.

Bis dahin, Leben sie wohl!

Yours in  
Bailey

# Oileans House

K. R. BURNS, PROPRIETOR.

Albion, N.Y., Jan. 4 1890

My Dear Deane: As I was  
passing the gymnasium  
last night on my way  
down town, I saw the two  
drive up to the house and  
stop, and I knew that  
you were off. It is now  
9:30 A.M., and I am  
seeing you coming into  
Boston.

Well, we had a good  
visit, considering it's that  
near, and I hope that  
you enjoyed it as much  
as I did.

This is a bright and

delightful day, and it  
would have been a good  
one for us to have seen  
the country.

I hope that you are  
now getting home in  
good shape, and are now  
at home for your journey.

Yours truly,  
J. L. Bailey



ITHACA, N. Y.,

Jan. 8 1890

My Dear Deane:

I had your letter this morning and was glad to know that you got home with no more serious mishap than falling into your neighbor's lap. I can write only a line, for I can sit-up but a trifle while at a time. I felt my cold tightening its hold all over me soon after I started from home, and Saturday afternoon, in Rochester, I was scarcely able to sit-up for three or four hours. I got home with difficulty, and <sup>grew</sup> steadily worse until last night, when I began to mend. The doctor began to feel anxious.

Remember us to Mrs. D. Mrs. Bailey is very much pleased with our visit, and it is needless to say that I am.

Yours

L. H. Bailey

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L. H. BAILEY, PROFESSOR OF HORTICULTURE.

Ithaca, N. Y., Jan. 13, 1890

My Dear Deane:

I am just-able to poke about a little, - to sit up a few minutes at my writing and then lie down to rest. It is a long piece for me. I want to get through Rand's plants as soon as possible, I have had them so long.

I have looked over your list and have made what corrections occur to me. It is a good list, and I can imagine the work it has made you. It makes me feel more than ever that I want to publish a check-list.

I have two Lecture trips on

hand this week. I have given up one,  
and will probably be obliged to  
give up both.

Yours, grunting,  
L. H. Bailey

Have looked over the  
plants, and will send  
them tomorrow.

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Jan. 14

1889  
1890

My Dear Deane:

I have finally got off a package  
to Professor Wright. I sent the ones  
which I have checked - all nice  
specimens. Never mind the postage. It  
is a matter of only 11 or 12 cts.

About the same.

Yours truly,  
L. H. Bailey

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ITHACA, N. Y.,

Jan. 19, '90

My Dear Dreane:

I wish you had told me that you were in need of another Synopsis. I have some left yet.

Yes, *Scoparia* var. *minor* goes into the manual.

I have been all through Raud's plants, and I returned them some days ago. A fine lot.

Mrs. B. is enjoying the Birds' Christmas Carol very much, and she wants me to thank you for it. She has been reading it aloud.

Our nurse girl looks after the children nicely, and Mrs. B. is feeling more rested than formerly.

Yes, I have Kenrick's Orchardist.



think that I picked it up in  
Boston.

No, I am not well met by  
any means, although I am stubbing  
about. I spoke to 500 people  
— a remarkably fine farmer  
audience, too — yesterday, and the  
audience was so responsive that I  
could scarcely hold my horses.

I speak in Rochester next Wed-  
nesday.

I have read most of Rule Book  
proofs.

Yours &c  
Bailey

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ITHACA, N. Y.,

Jan. 25, '90

My Dear Deane:

The best thing I and had was  
C. Novae. Angliae and forms of C.  
deflexa.

I am anxious to see the present.

Dear me! How the caries are coming  
in! Big lot from Scotland and more  
coming, a package from Brazil, one  
from Iceland, one from Greenland, a  
big batch from D. Brinton of Phila., and  
a package coming from Colorado!

The most difficult region to get  
anything from is the lower Appalachian  
region and Gulf States. There must be lots of  
new things in there.

Yours

Dailey

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ITHACA, N. Y.,

Jan. 26

My Dear Deane:

I am now looking a long way ahead, — to a summer's outing. I want to collect Carices in the Adirondacks — an unknown region for Carices. I particularly want to ascend Mt. Marcy. This peak is over a thousand feet higher than Mansfield, and is only 800 under Mt. Washington. I want to rough it for two weeks. Now, I do not suppose you will be much attracted by roughing it — testing out — but I enjoy it — immensely and I am sure that you would do the same. Can't you join me?

If Dr. Haberer proves a companionable man — as I am sure he will — I should like him to join us. Think of it.

Yours truly,  
J. H. Bailey

L. H. BAILEY,  
PROFESSOR GENERAL AND EXPERIMENTAL HORTICULTURE.

ITHACA, N. Y.,

Jan. 28 1890

What can I save:

I should never have  
 thought! The picture is here,  
 and I am so surprised!  
 I have never seen it. A book of  
 some sort lay in my mind. I  
 could not have placed one better, for  
 men are better than books. I am  
 certainly sure of that. I am  
 going to have a neat key to the picture  
 printed and framed with it. A  
 number of the photos. I recognized at  
 once. The good honest face of Bayley  
 Dalfour is a pleasure to look upon. I  
 took a fancy to him, and his pleasant  
 wife as well. It is a great pleasure  
 to see likenesses of those of whom you  
 have heard and read so much.



Yes, all atrata from Mt. Washington  
is var. ovata Boott.

Farnell sends what he calls C. gyn-  
noerates, but it is C. exilis !!!!!!!

Yes, I remember that Williams  
sent me C. flava and C. Hoodii.  
The specimens are not yet mounted.

Hurrah for Mr. Mercey!

Yours to  
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Ithaca, N. Y., Feb. 4, 1890.

My Dear Deane:

The picture is neatly framed,  
and now I like it - still better than  
ever.

I have a copy of the Manual, and  
I am enjoying looking it over. I  
notice that Mr. Watson has changed  
my Carer areolata x flexilis to C. areolata x  
castanea. So I suppose I shall  
have to adopt the new combination.

Another good letter from Mr. Morong,  
enclosing seeds and flowers of  
Physalis.

People don't catch cold when  
they live out of doors. I catch cold  
very easily, but camping out,  
never. I hope that you can

go. There may be some way of  
housing ourselves with settlers.

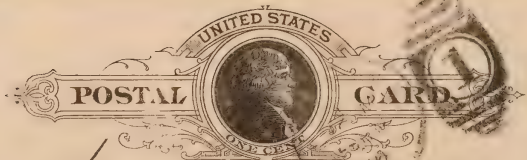
I am not well yet by any  
means. Some of the time I can  
scarcely sit up.

Yours truly,  
L. H. Bailey

L. H. BAILEY.

Ithaca, N. Y., Feb. 7 1890

Yes, all the atrata which  
we yet know this side the  
Rockies is var. ovata. Get me a  
spec. from N. B. if you can.  
The species & 3 vars. of C. atrata  
grow in U.S. Tweedy's plant is un-  
doubtedly the species.  
L. H. Bailey



NOTHING BUT THE ADDRESS TO BE ON THIS SIDE.

Walter Deane,  
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Feb. 5 1890

*C. adusta* should stand 282  
as now. *C. foenea* should be  
282a, and *C. stramineiformis*  
282b. As I understand  
it, labels are allowable in specimens.  
The rate is 1¢ per 3.

Bailey



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5 Brewster Place,  
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Ithaca, N. Y.,

Feb. 7 1889.

My Dear D:

In looking over Jan.  
Gazette, two things occur to  
me to trouble you about. Can't  
you get me Dr. Goodale's paper  
(p. 25-), and what is J. S. Brande-  
gee's address (p. 22)?

L. H. B.



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Walter Deane,  
Brewster Place,  
Cambridge, Mass.

Feb. 20 1890

My Dear Deane:

Add *C. Fraternis* var. *furva*  
Bailey, n. var. to your gallery. Van-  
Couver Island.

Macoun is publishing a Supplement to  
his Flora of Canada, and I suppose he  
will publish my new varieties there.

Boston is too far away for a stay -  
at-home body like myself, but I should  
like to spend a few minutes there with  
you. If I get to the East this year it  
will be in Aug. or Sept. when the Society  
of Amer. Florists meet there.

The new Carey paper is nothing  
more than a Carey Flora of New York  
State, published by the State. I hope to  
make it a good deal of an affair.

So far as anyone knows, only three  
~~persons~~ <sup>Herbaria</sup> on earth have *C. hystericina* V.



Dudley — Cornell Univ., Walter Deane,  
L.H. Bailey! In mousing over my old  
duplicates I found more of it — one  
of the types, you see — and got another spec.  
for myself and one for you. No more.

Parter's strictures are unjust, un-  
necessary, unprovoked, and unkind.  
His correction of habitats is all well  
enough, but most of the rest of it is  
nothing more nor less, in appearance,  
than spite or something worse. He ap-  
pears to assume that his opinions are  
massailable and measures others by  
them. Some of it is beneath a  
judicial reviewer.

Yours truly,  
L.H. Bailey

Three cheers for Cornus Bailey!

Marong's letter was written Dec. 13.

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Ithaca, N. Y., Feb. 11, 1890

My dear Deane:

I have always felt sure,  
but I can't tell why, — that Olney's Phac-  
cosperma came from Hall's Texan  
collection. And now I am sure  
of it, — at least so far as my  
specimens are concerned. Bailey's  
letter says that Olney had plants  
from both Hale and Hall. I have  
a plant from Hale, Louisiana, and  
it is ~~is~~ much older in maturity  
than the specimens from Olney. The  
two don't match at all. You know  
that you can often match speci-  
mens accurately by the looks. I don't  
believe Olney ever put any of Hale's

plants in his sets, for two reasons: 1. Hale collected many years ago and his plants were divided among many and were long ago disposed of. Mine came from Lopham, and was probably collected before Innes born. 2. If Olney had sent out from two collections, he would have indicated the fact, as was his custom.

C. atrata remains no. 52. My Synopsis gives the true range of C. atrata. In Memoirs, p. 10, I make v. ovata cover only the eastern portion of it, as you see.

Yes, I had the slip pasted just below the picture before framing. I had to trim the slip. You will notice that I gave the residences of the botanists as they were in 1887.

Yes, write C. arctata & Castanea now

Yours L.H.D.

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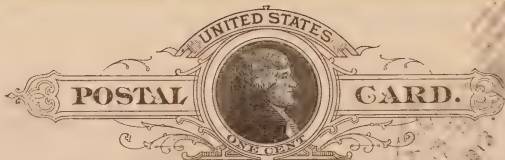
L. H. BAILEY.

Ithaca, N. Y., Feb. 13 1890

My Dear D:

Farmell wants his no 500  
— C. Houghton's, I think — re-  
turned. It is among those I  
gave you. But if you have  
it mounted, keep it.

Yours  
Bailey



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Walter Deane,  
Brewster Place,  
Cambridge, Mass.

Yes, I suppose it is  
somewhat inconsis-  
tent. You are too  
critical. The spine  
is "partially concealed",  
but this expression  
is flexible, and the  
spine may still as-  
sume various de-  
grees of prominence.  
I am feeling pretty  
well.

Another letter from  
Marong.

Feb. 19

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Walter Deane,  
Brewster Place,  
Cambridge, Mass.

INTERNATIONAL HOTEL,

ON THE EUROPEAN PLAN,  
17 AND 19 PARK ROW.

New York, Feb. 27 1890

My Dear Deane:

I congratulate you  
upon the *Carex Fraseri*. It is  
a good haul. What a curious  
plant it is!

I was on the Pocono  
Mountain yesterday, and I  
thought of Porter and his col-  
lections there. *C. hirta* var.  
*gracilis* grows there.

Moring is very  
thoughtful of me. He sends  
me some interesting notes  
on the edible plants of the  
country.

Yours  
Bailey

Mar. 3, 1890

My Dear Deane:

I returned this morning from  
several days in New York, and found  
your letter of the 24th ult.

I think that Mrs. Gray ought  
to leave the name to Harvard.

Yes, 229 is erased.

I have changed *C. hirsuta* ×  
*retroscia* to *hirsuta* × *retroscia* in *Studies*  
of Types, 13.

I find 3 bundles of caricatures to  
name lying on my shelf, and the whole  
collection of the Cal. Acad. of Sci. is  
coming. Oh dear!

Yours truly,  
L. H. Bailey

ITHACA, N. Y.,

Mar. 7

1890

My Dear Deane:

Leave out *C. laevigata* and *C. fulva*. I should retain *C. distans* as its occurrence here is so recent.

Yes, omit all foreign species. I don't remember other foreign ones which you would be likely to insert except *C. filiformis* var. *australis*. All our obese is the var. *minor*. 255 is right for *C. Whitneyi*.

The D L & W RR to New York takes one over Pocono Mts.

Winter now.

Yours truly,  
Bailey

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ITHACA, N. Y.,

Mar. 12, 1890

My Dear Deane:

You may add the following  
to the Carex list:

*C. Sathwellii* var. *occidentalis* Muhl. & var.

*C. maricida* var. *alterna* Muhl. & var.

They are both from B. Columbia from  
Masson.

Yes, I am pretty well, but I  
have not even yet regained to my  
satisfaction.

Gave my last lecture to-day for  
this term. Now comes a respite in  
class work for 3 weeks.

Yours truly,  
L. H. Bailey

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Ithaca, N. Y., *Mch. 15, 1890*

My dear Deane:

Good for you! It just suits  
me, and you <sup>know</sup> that I did not  
have it. Many thanks. It came  
yesterday but I laid it aside  
unopened until this morning as  
you requested. Three of Burroughs,  
and all from you!

I am now making up 5  
large bundles of carices for my  
European friends, and I'll have scarce-  
ly a duplicate left when I am  
through. But some of the old stuff  
I am glad to get rid of.



Never mind the blot. A man gets nervous when he gets so old as 32!

I am now opening up on a new care paper which will knock the spots off anything I ever did before.

Yours gratefully, but  
very old,  
L. H. Bailey

Horticultural Department of Cornell University Experiment Station.

L. H. BAILEY.

Ithaca, N. Y.,

March 23 - 1890

I, too, lack *Carex Michx.* I have each of the 3 vars. Try Martindale for *C. venusta* v. *minor*. I can send you a sprig of *C. arenaria* from Europe, if you want.

I have just got off 5 - big bundles from Europe.

Yours -

L. H. B.

Much obliged for rabbit notes. Will use them.



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Walter Deane,  
Drewster Place,  
Cambridge, Mass.

ITHACA, N. Y.,

Apr. 5, 1890

My Dear Deane:

The Carex index is just at hand, and I am greatly obliged for it - and pleased with it. It is nicely done, and will be of great use to me.

I will keep your desiderata in mind, for during the season I shall undoubtedly get some of them.

I should like to have heard your lecture!

I am interested to know what Carex you are going to send me.

It now begins to look like spring, and hepaticas are out. It will be interesting to collect by the new Manual.

We are all well.

Yours truly  
L. H. Bailey



Apr. 7, 1890

My dear Deane:

The plants are at hand, and they are both *C. deflexa* var. *Deanei*. I have both already, but am mighty glad of more. Thanks.

I have sometimes thought that I know North American *Carex*, but I give it up. I have got to-day an enormous lot of stuff from California — the whole collection of the Cal. Acad. Sci. — and I turned sheet after sheet and could not even give a guess at the species! I have got one of the biggest *Carex* jobs on hand that I ever tackled, to name that pile. There must be lots of new things in it.

Let me know when you lecture  
again, so that I can come  
down. Glad you got the plants  
from Martindale. Porter ought to  
furnish *granularis* v. *Kalleana* +  
*tenuica* v. *Canbyi*, and Canby  
must surely have the latter. I think  
that Rand got *C. straminea* v. *cum-*  
*lata* at Mt. Desert. Rev. J. Fowler surely  
has it. Write Dr. C. W. Swan, 32  
Worcester St., Boston, for *monile* v. *mon-*  
*strosa*. Brainerd + Pringle ought to  
have *C. echinata* v. *angustata*. A. Com-  
mons, Faulkland, Del., may have *C.*  
*grisea* v. *rigida*. Write Macoun for  
*retorsa* v. *Kartii*.

Yours in  
Bailey



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ITHACA, N. Y.,

Apr. 10 '96

My Dear Deane:

You will see by a specimen which I sent you a day or two ago what *C. debilis* v. *strictior* is.

I do not understand about Faxon's not hearing from me. I always try to be very prompt with my correspondents. I will look it up.

are E. Faxon and C. E. Faxon the same? — and Edwin Faxon?

Yours —  
Bailey

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Ithaca, N. Y., Apr. 3, 1898

My Dear Deane:

My plant of *C. debilis* v.  
stricta is the one sent me by  
Faxon as var. *D*. I can't say if all  
his *D* is alike.

I shall be glad of a little  
more *C. Hornegica*.

I am now having my loose  
caries mounted up, and I am  
astonished to find how many I  
collect from various sources during  
the year. I have had to put in  
several new covers for things which  
I had never had before!

This has been a fine day and  
we have all enjoyed it im-  
mensely.

Yours truly,  
T. H. Bailey.

Horticultural Department of Cornell University Experiment Station.

L. H. BAILEY.

Ithaca, N. Y.,

Apr. 18

1890.

The Carex Norvegica is here and  
much obliged.  
mounted.

The other Carex is true C. um-  
bellata.

My Carex herb. is growing rapidly,  
now that I am mounting my  
last year's stock. L.H.B.  
Big bundle coming from N. Zealand.



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Walter Deane,  
Pewster Place,  
Cambridge, Mass.



Apr. 29, 1890

My Dear Deane;

In looking over that elegant lot of plants which you gave me last winter, I find a few specimens unlabelled — evidently overlooked. They are

A birch in fruit, with a bit of bark.

Corema

Lechea with basal shoots

A Glyceria from Rand from Mt.

Desert — (*Puccinellia maritima* v. minor?)

A *Taxus* in fruit, lying with a specimen in fruit of *Rubus hispida*.

Spring is cognetting with us.

Yours truly  
L. H. Bailey



ITHACA, N. Y.,

May 4 1890

My Dear Deane:

Labels O.K. Much obliged.  
Mighty interesting letter from  
Morong.

Yours —  
Bailey

For dinner to-day  
radishes, lettuce, cucumbers,  
tomatoes, string beans from  
my house.



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My Dear Deane:

What is the matter  
without correspondence?  
We have had a long  
lull. I am perambu-  
lating and divaricating,  
but I now expect to  
get home sometime.  
Staid down to Sandy  
Hook last night and  
have been having  
a pleasant outing on  
the Bay. One of the  
pleasant experiences

was a remarkable  
mirage which picked  
up the city of Brooklyn  
and set it into the  
sea. For a half hour it  
rose and fell, ad-  
vanced and receded, like  
a phantom city that it  
was, and yet with out-  
lines of brick and stone  
as sharply cut as in  
any solid city. All this  
panorama was intro-  
duced by a phantom  
ship, which rode ma-  
jestically in the clouds. Then  
I knew how it was that  
mariners once saw ghost-  
ships, gliding noiselessly  
away!

Yours truly  
L. A. Bailey

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Ithaca, N. Y.,

June 22,

1890

My dear Deane:

Four letters from you, and here goes  
for the answers!

It is rather difficult to guess without seeing the specimen whether your *Carex lupulina* is the var. ~~*foliolata*~~ *pedunculata* or not. Low description would seem to make it so. But some of the intermediate forms are hard to place.

I don't understand why Britton should miss things so in the N. Y. Flora. But I suppose it is in the interest of reform.

I have ordered a free copy of the American Garden sent you, and I told the publisher that you would occasionally give us all note of some

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interesting wild plant.

Do you go again to E. Jaffrey?  
I suppose you go soon. Let me know  
when I send letters there, and how.

I see no reason for calling  
Churchill's plant anything else than  
C. ballata.

I return Fowler's plants by this  
mail.

I have lots to do nowadays, and  
get no time for tramping in the  
woods. I am almost afraid that  
my days of botanizing are over!

Yours truly  
L. H. Bailey

Horticultural Department of Cornell University Experiment Station.

L. H. BAILEY.

Ithaca, N. Y.,

June 13 ..... 1890.

One of these comes from  
Sandberg is to rep. ....  
Write him for particulars and I  
will publish notice of it. It is the  
first time I ever saw it from  
the Manual region. The other  
is *C. Pennsylvanica* L.H.B.





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Hbaca, N. Y., June 17 1890

My Dear Deane:

A scullion is properly an inferior and "bottomless" onion. Such are occasionally found in onion patches. But the one you refer to is no doubt the Welsh Onion, Allium fistulosum.  
(See Bull. 31. Mich. p. 43, and Annals, p. 122)

This is our commencement week. Commencement occurs Thursday. 280 take degrees.

I shall take my vacation in my garden and study, with perhaps two or three short trips.

Yours truly  
L. H. Bailey

Horticultural Department of Cornell University Experiment Station.

L. H. BAILEY.

Ithaca, N. Y.,

June 22 1890.

Scallion is not recognized as a name of a variety. But A. fistulosum is mentioned in Annals under Welsh Onion. My garden always comes in good shape. You might write publisher about it. Term over. 221 first degree this year.

L.H.B.



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Ithaca, N. Y., June 27 1890

My Dear Deane:

Yes, I am editor-in-chief —  
general factotum — of the American  
Garden. I shall probably run the  
ship aground soon. If you will  
write some notes for me you will help  
to make it better. The August issue  
will be a beauty, — cacti.

Good for Carex Torreri.

Funah for the vacation!

Your late Springfield carex is C.  
aurea.

Yours truly

L. H. Bailey

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Itasca, N. Y., June 29 1890

My Dear Deane:

Of course I can only guess  
at Sandberg's plant, but I should call it  
*Carex longirostris*.

I put in press nearly a month  
ago some fine specimens of *Crataegus*  
*coccinea* var. *macracantha* for you. I  
shall get fruit of it. I don't believe it  
has anything to do with *C. coccinea*,  
neither does Professor Dudley. It is  
probably a good species. I have a  
fine drawing made of it for ~~the~~  
Sept. Garden.

Yours truly

L. H. Bailey



Horticultural Department of Cornell University Experiment Station.

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Ithaca, N. Y.,

July 1 1890.

Yes, the plant is *C.*

*virescens* var. *costata*.

L. H. Bailey



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Itaca, N. Y., July 13, 1890

My Dear Deane:

I suppose that you are now enjoying the mountains and the fields. I would that I were with you!

Your desiderata at hand. I collect almost none of late years, but I will bear you in mind when I do.

A cantaloupe is only a muskmelon with firm and scabby or warty rind. See Rule-Book, 216.

I am very hard at work studying the species of cultivated plants, and I shall spend much of my summer at it.

Yours ever, L.H.B.

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My Dear Deane:

Yes, the *Carex* is *C. Magellanica*. But I am stuck on the bird, — nothing to be wondered at, however, as I don't know anything about birds any how. He ought to send a good specimen to Mr. Watson.

Tell Sandberg to send me some *C. Torreyi* — all he can spare. I will gladly name his sedges at any time. I am just winding up a huge lot from Pacific coast. I have got them all narrowed down to 7 or 8, and these seem to be new.

I know you are enjoying the out of doors, with the meadows and hills and the long stretches of *Carex folliculata*. I don't know anything about the fruit of *Epigaea*. How much I am getting to not know!

Regards to Mrs. D.

Yours as ever,  
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Ithaca, N. Y.,

July 28, 1891

My Dear Deane:

I am surprised that *Thlaspi*  
*arvensis* should ever become so serious  
a pest. I can see no remedy except in  
some system of rotation or cultivation  
which would choke it out. We  
often destroy bad weeds by seeding down  
to grass and mowing often, and then  
rotate the practice to other parts of  
the farm. But it may not be  
practicable in this case.

You shall have a copy of  
my new carex paper if I have any  
myself. It is published in the Journal of  
Botany, London, and I was to have ex-  
tras, but have rec'd none. I am-

understand that the paper knocks  
some of our care notions endwise.  
I fear that we shall soon be endlessly  
mixed.

Yours truly  
E. F. Bailey



L. H. BAILEY.

Ithaca, N. Y.,

July 28

1890.

A bundle of bag hay from  
Farwell contains two speci-  
mens of *C. deflexa*, var. *deeneri*,  
and var. *media*!! I hardly  
thought you would grow at  
L. Superior, although I expected  
*C. deflexa* did. L.H.B.



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Ithaca, N. Y., *Aug 5*, 1890

My dear Sir: Good for the rhododendron  
article. Glad to have it.  
My Carex article simply substitute  
*C. rigida* for *C. vulgaris* and our 3  
plants become  
*C. rigida* v. *Bigelovii* Tuckerm. (v. *hyperborea*)  
— v. *Goodenovii* Bailey (*C. vulgaris* fries)  
— v. *strictiformis* Bailey.

Drop Farewell a note for some of his  
r. Deane's. I posted all of mine.

Aug. Garden is a beauty but  
Sept. will beat it.

Hope you are enjoying your  
cent of doors.

Yours —  
L.H.D.

THE AMERICAN GARDEN,

L. H. BAILEY, Editor.

Ithaca, N. Y., Aug. 6 1890

Dear Sir:—Your communication of the 4th

addressed to THE AMERICAN GARDEN, is at hand, and will have  
due consideration.

Capital. By all  
means, let us have the  
picture. A blue-print will  
be good enough.

L. H. Bailey



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Walter Deane,  
Gaffrey,  
Shattuck }  
Farm. } N. Hampshire



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Itasca, N. Y., Aug 14 189

Dear Deane:

Blue print- rec'd and gone to  
the artist. I will have a drawing  
made from it, and the drawing  
photo-engraved.

The "half tone" process of repro-  
ducing photographs, like the Cereus  
giganteus, is a secret. I know only  
a few features of it. Ordinarily we  
make black pen drawings and  
these are photographed onto  
gelatine and the cuts are, I be-  
lieve, etched out with acids.

Yours -

L.H.B.

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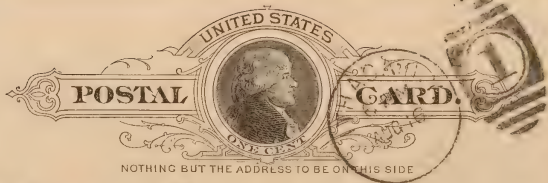
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Ithaca, N. Y.,

Aug. 16 1890.

I go down to the Hub to-night  
to attend Florists' Convention.  
Address me at the Gardens.  
Will be there all next week, I  
guess. Wish I could see you!

Bailey



Walter Deane,  
Jaffrey, N. Hampshire

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Ithaca, N. Y.,

Aug. 30, 1890

My Dear Deane:

I cannot tell what the  
vine is without fls. or frt. for there  
are so many similar things among  
the Cucurbitaceae. But I suspect it of  
being Oxyria discica. Get me some  
fls. if you can.

Plant - like tubers or roots in a  
sunk in a tub or barrel which is about 18 in.  
or 2 ft. deep. Use some 6 or 8 in. of  
rich loam, and barely cover the tubers.  
In winter remove the water and cover  
the bbl. with boards and straw.

Keep safe and find all well.

Yours truly,

L. H. Bailey

Summer of 1890

Boston, Sunday.

My Dear Deane:

Sorry you are sick, but hope you are well by this time.

I am going to N.Y. in the morning, and so cannot get at your plants. Dr. Kennedy came over for me Friday, and so I could not get to them.

Yesterday Dr. K. and myself went to the Cranberry bogs in Carver, above Wareham, and had a charming time. Wish you had been there. Found *Carex stricta* v. *brevis* (all range in

Manual), *C. straminea* var.  
cumulata, and many other  
interesting things, including  
*Gaylussacia ~~frond~~ dumosa*, which  
I had never seen before. The  
arises were overripe, of course,  
and so are of little value as  
specimens.

Hope you are better.

Yours -  
Bailey



Sept. 7

18 90.

My Dear Deane:

I have sent in the *Rhododendron* article for the next (Oct.) issue. The artist has not got the cut done yet, but I expect that he will have it in time.

I have been pegging away all summer, off and on, on the caricatures of the Cal. Acad. Sciences. They were a mixed up and hard lot, and now I have got them done! Ahead of my mind I assure you. And I have also had Parish's collection from S. California, which I just got off a day or two ago. Took some of the things to Cambridge with me to compare with types. I got lots of stuff for my herb. out of the collections but not nearly so many new things as I anticipated. The following are the new things:

C. obnupta, allied to cryptocarpa.

C. quadrifida, alias to C. fusca.  
var. lenis.

C. monile var. Pacifica.

I have prided myself all along  
on having left out no species in the  
Manual revision and having no adden-  
dum, but now I find that C. verrucosa  
is omitted!

I have a good n. sp. from Montana  
which I am calling C. Montanensis.

I suppose that your vacation days  
are numbered now.

Yours truly  
J. H. Bailey

Horticultural Department of Cornell University Experiment Station.

L. H. BAILEY.

Ithaca, N. Y.,

Sept. 2 1890

Yes, have Sandberg send on his  
Carices at any time. The  
Rhododendron cut just came  
in. I want botanical speci-  
mens of any cultivated plants you  
can get. Yours -  
L. H.



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Jaffrey, N. H.

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Ithaca, N. Y., Sept. 21, 1890

My Dear Deane:

I am now at home. It seems natural to address you at Cambridge. I hope that you had a pleasant summer.

I am still hoping to get some extras of my English Cares article. I really ought to have one myself, any how. I sent them money to pay for printing excepts.

I suppose that my names of California Cereuses will appear in Cal. Acad. Sci. Rose is getting up an account of some Southwestern plants in which Cereus, *Lysitricina* var. *angustior* will appear. I guess I shall have to make a contribution to Gazette that fall to clean up my little odds and ends.

Taubert's cacti have come, including a nice lot of *C. torreyi*.

I have ordered a few extras of the  
Rhododendron. They will cost you  
\$25<sup>00</sup>.

I am getting together an immense  
herbarium of cultivated plants.

College opens in ten days.

Yours truly  
J. S. Bailey



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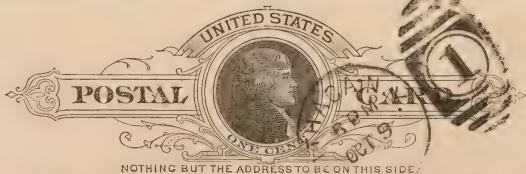
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Ithaca, N. Y.,

Oct. 9 1890

Would rosobacca be  
an acceptable combina-  
tion for dewberry? I want  
to use it as a varietal name  
of Rubus Caudensis.

Let me know soon L.H.B.  
or rosobacca?



Walter Deane,  
Beaver Place,  
Cambridge, Mass.

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*Ithaca, N. Y.,*

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*Much obliged for the seeds. How  
are you?*

Ithaca, N. Y., Oct. 14 1890

My Dear Deane;

No, my name is not rosa  
and baccus, but ros (dew) and  
baccus. Ros, I find, is third  
declension, so I have written  
it roribaccus.

All is going well with me. I  
am giving a course of lectures  
upon plant variation, in which  
I am now discussing Dr. Gray's hy-  
potheses of the Japanese flora, Braun's  
regeneration, etc. It is mighty  
interesting to me.

Yours  
L. H. Bailey

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Ithaca, N. Y., Oct. 18 1890

My Dear Deane: I have just rec'd from E. L. Greene  
one spec. of nearly everything collected  
in the old Stat. geolog. surveys. Many of  
them are types of species, and some of  
them belong to species which I have  
never had, as *C. phyllomanica*, *C. Men-*

docinensis, *C. vulgaris* v. *bracteosa*.  
With the duplicates allowed me from  
the collections of the Cal. Acad. Sci.  
and the Parisles, I have an excellent  
Layout of Pacific canines.

Beautiful weather, - as mellow  
as a ripe apple.

Yours truly,  
L. H. Bailey



Stee Pond, Maryland.  
Oct. 20, 1890.

My Dear Deane:

This peach  
yellow is a singular  
disease. Thousands of  
acres all over this old  
and beautiful country are  
desolate, and the trees  
and dying trees indicate  
a decimated industry. All  
sorts of notions are  
current concerning it,  
but everyone has been  
overthrown and yet  
no solution and no very  
probable hypothesis have  
been advanced. It is most

more obscure than fear  
light, which for over a  
hundred years eluded all  
attempts of investigators.  
There is no disease of  
plants known so serious  
in its financial results  
as this vermin. It has  
been known over a  
hundred years, and only in  
America! The most ex-  
tensive and important  
attempts and experiments are  
now upon our plant  
disease are in progress from  
Delaware to Georgia under the  
auspices of the Department  
of Agriculture, and yet  
no clue has been ob-  
tained as to the cause of the  
disease. I have been hav-  
ing a beautiful ride on the  
Chesapeake! Yours as ever,  
F. H. Bailey

Ithaca, N. Y., Oct. 23 1890

My dear Deane;

I am glad to know that Mr. Merong is to be home in a month. I must manage some way to see him during the winter. I am building 3 more forcing-houses. I shall soon be able to do something, I hope.

Mr. Rand sends me a lot of Caries, which I shall examine at my first leisure. I have a collection from Colorado also.

What a magnificent thing Sergent's new Silver is! Beyond my pile, though!

Yours truly  
L. H. Bailey

Ithaca, N. Y., Nov. 5- 1890

My Dear Deane:

I will send you a duplicate  
of every one of my career papers just as  
fast as I get them. The Cal. papers will  
be issued before Jan., I expect, and I  
have asked for extras. If I don't get  
extras from Journal of Botany soon I  
will send another remittance for  
two copies of the journal.

I never heard of Drake and Dickson  
of Oregon before.

Never so busy in my life. Work is  
mountain high and still growing!

Yours truly  
L. H. Bailey

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Ithaca, N. Y., Nov. 24 1890

My Dear Deane:

I have been so overwhelmed with work that I have not got to you with parcel of plants until this morning. Now I do not pretend to any knowledge of physalis and oaks, but I should call the physalis *P. Philadelphica* and the oak *Q. Coccinea*. I think that the acorns go well with the leaves.

I have never before had so much on my hands as this fall. My new course of lectures and many other things have almost flooded me.

Yours -  
L. H. Bailey

Ithaca, N. Y., Dec. 1 1890

My Dear Deane:

Will look up the Crataegus soon.

I had a letter from Dr. Morong a few days ago. Was in N.Y. last week, but knew that he was at Boston, or I should have called.

Feb. Garden will be devoted largely to orchids. Can you not give us an article on native orchids - or some interesting ones - which you find in your rambles? All the great men will contribute.

Yours truly  
L. H. Bailey



Ithaca, N. Y., Dec. 8 1890

My Dear Deane:

Yes, the plant is var. Deaneii. Fernald sent it to me, and roots also. I should modify the description of the var. somewhat were I to write it again. This form squints strongly towards the species.

Hope you can write the orchid article for me.

Yours  
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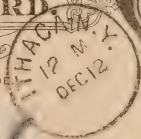
Ithaca, N. Y., Dec. 11 1890

Yes, I have made an *Aquatic* x  
*Stricta* for one of Fernald's  
things. It is a pretty clear  
case of confoundedness.

F. H. B.



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Drewster Place,  
Cambridge, Mass.

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Ithaca, N. Y., Dec. 27 189

Pictures tip-top. Much  
obliged. Came from Peachen  
is echinata & microstachys.  
Much obliged for receipts.

F.H.B.



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Walter Deane,  
Pewster Place,  
Cambridge, Mass.

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NEW ELEVATOR.

Norfolk, Va., Dec. 30 1890

My Dear Deane:

My toes got cold  
at Ithaca and I came  
down here to warm them.  
No sign of snow here and  
the ground has not yet  
frozen. Crops like Kales and  
Spinage, of which there are  
thousands of acres, are growing  
yet.

Going up to Richmond in a  
day or two. This is the land  
of riggers, terrapins and  
Sweet potatoes.

Yours truly  
J. H. Bailey



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Hibaca, N. Y., Jan. 5 - 1891

My Dear Deane;

Yes, let us have the orchid matter  
right away. Will try to get you ex-  
cerpts. Before you only had proofs.

Yours -

Bailey

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Ithaca, N. Y., Jan. 8 1896

My Dear Deane;

Your article is excellent — too good to be disposed of hastily. So I am going to lay it over till the March number and have it illustrated. There will be much orchid matter in that issue. I am going to pay you for this article.

Lots of winter here. Yours truly  
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Ithaca, N. Y., Feb. 12 1897

My Dear Deane:

I do not remember to have named  
all those varieties for Fernald. Surely did  
the hybrid.

Mrs. B. is sick abed with a fever, with  
typhoid symptoms. But we are hoping  
for a light attack.

L. H. B.

Ithaca, N.Y. Feb. 21, 1891

My Dear Deane:  
Mrs. Bailey is very sick with  
typhoid fever, the temperature running above  
104°. This is the fifteenth day. The fever is  
now going down slowly and all the symptoms  
are encouraging. Her mother is here.  
We are feeling very hopeful now.  
Yours truly  
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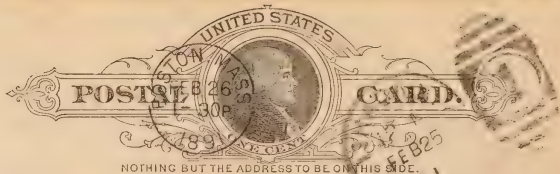
Ithaca, N. Y.,

Feb. 24

1891.

I don't remember to have published  
any care trash since my English  
article. 6 or 7 big bundles waiting  
for names!

You ask for Memoir. Do you mean  
in Torrey Memoirs? I have none of  
that, but can send you my synop-  
sis (Proc. Am. Acad). Mrs. B. improving,  
L. H. Bailey



Walter Deane,  
Brewster Place,  
Cambridge, Mass.



Ithaca, N. Y., Feb 27 1891

My Dear Deane:

There! I have just caught my breath! I never did quite so many things at once before as in my last trip. I visited Bussey and Arnold Arboretum Monday — looking up some things in the Garden and Herbarium and calling on Dr. Wymann's folks on the way, — got to So. Framingham at 3:15 — having eaten two good dinners in the meantime — left S. F. at 11:30, got to Albany at 8 Tuesday Morning, answered a lot of mail, hired a rig and drove 5 miles through the mud to Greenbush, lectured there, hopped from the platform into a wagon and got to Albany again at 10 o'clock, went to Lyons — nearly across the state, — had a break down on the train, got home at 10 o'clock Tuesday night. And now I am going to stay here for awhile. Mrs. B. sits up nearly half the time.

Just got in all of Maximowicz's writings  
upon Asian and Japanese plants except  
his Rhododendrons, and that I have  
ordered.

I had a good visit with you  
and Mrs. Deane and I shall remember  
it with much satisfaction.

Yours as ever,  
J. H. Bailey

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Chatham, N. Y., *Mar 31* 189*4*.

My Dear Deane:

Here I am  
on the border of Massachusetts  
again! I had thought of  
running down to  
Cambridge to see my  
friends, but will go  
onto Long Island to see  
the Chinese gardeners, or  
rather the plants they are in-  
troducing.

Yours truly  
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Hbaca, N. Y., Apr. 3 1891

My Dear Deane:

Dear me! how you skip! Can't keep track of you. Have been away from home or should have answered your note before. Took Mrs. Bailey to Michigan the other day. She is gaining rapidly.

Just got in a lot of carices from Newfoundland, some from Finland, and a lot from Asia and Japan collected by Maximowicz.

Yours truly,  
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My Dear Deane;

I don't think this is *C. douglasii*.  
More likely to be *C. marcidula*. Strange  
things about Churchill's ~~things~~ <sup>plants</sup> but not at all  
impossible. Would like to get a spec. of  
*C. aestivalis*.

Beautiful weather,

Yours -

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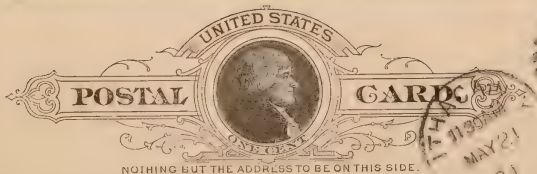
Ithaca, N. Y.,

May 20 1897

Yes, A. G. will pay you. If they  
are too slow, a hire sent to N.Y.  
office will fetch 'em. Carex  
Vancouverensis sub. xerantica  
are two N. sp. from Macconn.  
When will Barnes get his revision  
out?

J. H. B.





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Ithaca, N. Y., May 23 - 1891

My Dear Deane:

I am wading thro' all the unnamed carices of Olney's Collection, sent on from Brown. There are no labels, and no indication of where any of the specimens — with very rare exceptions — are from. They are the remnants from everywhere. You can imagine that it is a puzzling

job. Yet I have found two new species among  
them, and one at least I shall describe.  
There is not the least indication of date, Country  
or collector! I want to give some name to  
indicate that it is known only in the herbar-  
ium, and had thought of Carex herbariorum.  
Is not that a good genitive, as good as  
C. pinetorum and C. ericetorum?

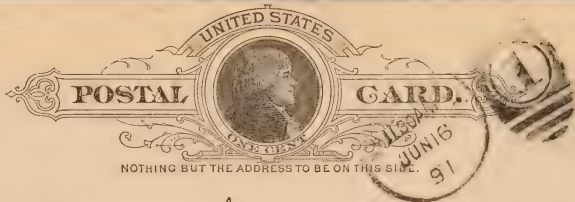
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Ithaca, N. Y., June 15 - 1891.

The Fresh Pond Carex is  
*C. straminea* v. *aperta*  
Boott. In the midst-  
of Commencement week  
now. L.H.B.



Walter Deane,  
Brewster Place,  
Cambridge, Mass.

THE AMERICAN GARDEN,  
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Ithaca. N. Y., May 27 1891

Dear Sir:—Your communication of the 24<sup>th</sup>  
~~addressed to THE AMERICAN GARDEN, is at hand, and will have~~  
~~due consideration.~~ The *Carex* are *C.*  
*laciflora* v. *varians* and *C. fil-*  
*iformis* v. *latifolia*.

L.H.B.





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Walter Deane,  
Prentiss Place,  
Cambridge, Mass.

Because of many duties which are constantly demanding my time, I have found it necessary to resign the active editorship of THE AMERICAN GARDEN. You will therefore please address your correspondence to the New York Office (Times Building) hereafter. I am sure that you will extend the same courtesy to the home office that you have always extended to me.

I shall retain a sort of advisory editorship in the magazine, and specimens of plants, fruits, etc., may still be sent me for examination.

L. H. BAILEY.

ITHACA, N. Y.,

June 15, 1891.

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Ithaca, N. Y., June 29 1891

My Dear Deane:

I will make you specimens of  
*Rubus Can. v. rory.* I expect to go  
to Mich. soon and shall try to get  
*Cornus Baileyi*.

If you are near *Viburnum*  
*Opulus* this summer I wish you  
would get me specimens of old shoots,

Young shoots and all the various forms  
of leaves.

I suppose you are off soon.

Yours truly,  
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L. H. BAILEY, PROFESSOR OF HORTICULTURE.

Ithaca, N. Y., Aug. 2, 1891.

My Dear Deane:

I have just returned from a visit in Michigan and Chicago, and find your two letters of a month - nearly ago. Your hill plant from Monadnock is nothing less than *Carex Novae-Angliae*. The other is, as you suppose, *C. Echinata* var. *microstachys*.

Mrs. D. and the babies are summering at Union Springs, 33 miles up the Lake. I am now lone and lorn, here alone. I wish you were here. How we would talk!

Are you going to Washington? Please remember me to Mrs. D. I am sure that she is finishing her botanical education by this time. Yours truly L. H. Bailey

Ithaca, N. Y., Aug. 27 1891

My Dear Deane:

I have been away so much this summer that all my correspondents have been neglected. I took a trip down the Chesapeake peninsula and came back to Washington to the meeting of the A.A.A.S. I had a delightful time all around. I got home last Saturday night. Monday morning I went to Union Springs and brought Mrs. B. home from her summer outing. Tuesday night Mrs. B. and I went to New York City and came home yesterday. I have now resolved to stay at home the rest of this



week.

I enclose you a letter which will interest you. It is from a travelling man who sends me carices from all over the country. I expressed to him my surprise that a "drummer" should take to botany, and he sent me this account of himself. He hies in Ohio, and travels east as far as Maine.

Yours as ever,  
L. H. Bailey

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# The American Garden.

L. H. BAILEY, Editor.

Ithaca, N. Y., Sept. 4, 1891

My Dear Deane:

The apple is certainly a curiosity. I never saw one like it before. The double apples usually come from double-carpelled flowers, but this is a natural graft of two fruits. I shall photograph it, and sometime describe it somewhere.

All goes well here, but I am  
overloaded with work.

Yours as ever,  
F. R. Bailey

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My Dear Deane:

I shall certainly have to accuse you of duplicity if you send me any more botanical doublet. The bean is as interesting as the apple. It is photographed and preserved. Double pistil.

Make me a specimen of *Pyrus coronaria*. Also of *Prunus Americana* and *Viburnum Opulifolium*, if you come across them.

All goes well here. I am now writing a  
bulletin on forcing cucumbers, and am making  
preparations for one on cultivated physalis. Hard  
knot this latter!

Yours truly  
J. H. Bailey

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~~L. H. BAILEY, Editor.~~

Ithaca, N. Y., Oct. 1 1891

My Dear Deane:

University opens to-day and  
everything is on the lump. A very  
large class has entered, many new  
professors and instructors are added to  
our lists, and everything is booming.  
Last week Mrs. B. and myself had a  
very nice outing and visit in Wash-

ington.

I suppose that you are now at work again. I hope that you are well.

Carices are already coming in.

Yours truly  
L. H. Bailey



Ithaca, Nov. 27

Mrs. B. & self have engaged  
rooms at Tremont House  
& expect to get in sometime  
Monday. I shall stay about-

Boston 4 or 5 days, + Mrs. B.  
perhaps longer. I expect to  
spend most of my time at the  
Herbarium.

L.H.B.



Walter Deane,  
Brewster Place,  
Cambridge, Mass.

Horticultural Department of Cornell University Experiment Station.

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Ithaca, N. Y., ...

Dec. 10 1891.

We arrived home in poor  
condition and found the  
little ones well and  
happy. We have a fine  
time, and are indebted to  
you and Mrs. D. for an important  
part of it.

L. H. Bailey



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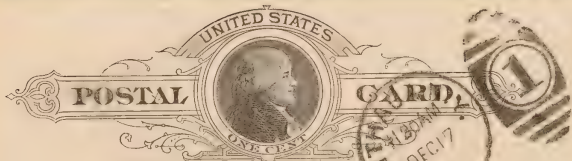
Ithaca, N. Y.,

Dec 16 1891.

Never heard of Peppoon.

I am overwhelmed with  
care to name!

L. H. B.



NOTHING BUT THE ADDRESS TO BE ON THIS SIDE.

Walter Deane,  
Brewster Place,  
Cambridge,  
Mass.

Dec. 12

Dear Deane: I find  
that I have almost  
nothing of your  
desiderata, but I  
send you one or two  
things. The *Cornus* is  
poor, but they moulded  
in shipment. Did  
you say you want  
*debilis x virescens*? I have  
a sprig, but I think you  
have the same.

The violets will not  
run out if carefully  
grown and selected.  
Cultivation checks the  
tendency to deterioration  
L.H.B.





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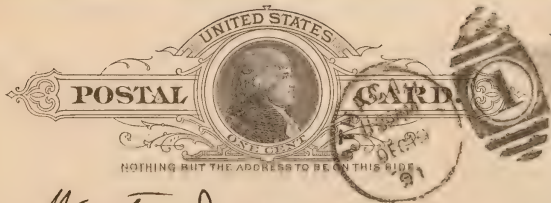
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Ithaca, N. Y., Dec. 19 ..... 1891.

Rural N.Y. is a general farm  
paper, scarcely adapted, I think,  
to your brother's needs. Much stock,  
etc. Perhaps he wants that. In  
gardening papers, choose between  
Gardent Forest and American Gardener.

Have just run across  
Vigne's translation of Schkub's  
Riedgräser!  
Bailey



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L. H. BAILEY, Editor.

Ithaca, N. Y., Dec. 25 - 1891

My Dear Deane:

On my shelf just back of my chair  
are four volumes of Burroughs, all differ-  
ent, of which my good friend Deane has given  
me three! Much obliged.

Sorry you are both ill. Hope to hear  
better news in your next.

Have just secured Nicotia Monardes' writings on  
West Indian plants, 1575! (Monarda)

J. H. Bailey

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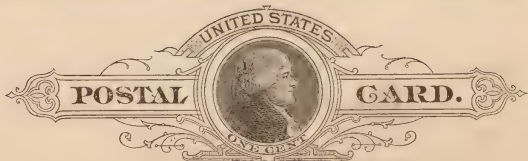
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Ithaca, N. Y.,

Jan. 2

1892.

My Dear Deane: I am glad that Mr. Watson is improving. It is good of you to keep me posted. I took the pictures of the gardens when I was there a few days ago. You saw my photo box. Hope Mrs. D. improves.  
L.H.B.



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Walter Deane,

Brewster Place,  
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The American Garden.

L. H. BAILEY, Editor.

Ithaca, N. Y., Jan. 6 1892

My Dear Deane:

Returning from New York and  
Harrisburg, I find you two letters. The *C.*  
*oligocarpa* certainly looks like *C. digitalis*. Are  
you sure I passed it for *C. oligocarpa*? Are there  
not two things on the sheet?  
The *intumescens* I think is alright -  
altho' it looks provokingly like *C. Grayi*. If  
I passed it as *C. intumescens*, it must cer-  
tainly be that. The width of the leaves is



sometimes important in these species.

Glad to hear of the improvement of  
Mrs. S. and Dr. W.

You have heard of Rev. A. C.  
Wagborne, the Newfoundland botanist.  
The enclosed paper will interest you.

All well.

F. R. B.

You may recall a  
curious Rubus vil-  
losus in your collec-  
tion which I sug-  
gested be sent to  
Dr Britton. I should  
like very much  
to see ~~it~~ it. If you  
have no objection,  
I wish you would ex-  
press it - to meet my  
Expense, and I  
will return it  
once.

L.H.B.

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Ithaca, N. Y., Jan. 11 1892.

My Dear Deane:

I return the plants. Much obliged  
for them.

The rubus is R. Milsapianus, Britton (See  
Bull. Torr. Club, Dec. 1891). I have sent an  
account of the species to Agricultural  
Science and have mentioned your speci-  
men.

The "C. oligocarpa" is good C. ptychocarpa, and  
if you will turn over your ticket you will  
see that I named it so. Thought it was

funny if I had made a mistake on that  
species. The "*C. intumescens*" I really  
think had better be called *C. Grayi*, altho'  
I don't know what business it has so  
far East. All eastern specimens of it are  
provokingly near *C. intumescens*. I  
have kept the specimens.

Glad Mr. Watson is improving  
Nice new *Carex Pringlei* from Pringle  
from Mexico.

L. H. Bailey

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Ithaca, N. Y., Jan. 12 1892.

Yes, *C. foenea* v. *perplexa*.

All well,

L. H. B.

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Ithaca, N. Y., Jan. 18 1892.

My Dear Deane:

The specimen is so young that I can't say positively, but I don't think it can be var. *angustata*.

Yes, tell Mr. Kofoid to send his caries. He sent me some *Rubus* a few days ago.

All O.K. at this end of the line.  
Fine sleighing.

Hope Mrs. D. & Mr. Watson are still improving.  
L.H.B.



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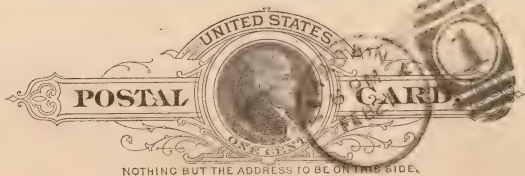
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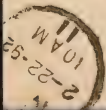
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1892.

Not having heard of Mr. Watson  
I had supposed that he had re-  
covered. Your card alarms  
me. Do they expect him to  
recover? Please let me know.  
I hope that you are both well.  
We are. I had expected to run  
over to Boston last week, but had  
too much to do. L.H.B.



Walter Seave,  
Brewster Place,  
Cambridge, Mass.



THE AMERICAN GARDEN,

L. H. BAILEY, Editor.

Ithaca. N. Y., Feb. 27 189

Dear Sir:—Your communication of the

addressed to THE AMERICAN GARDEN, is at hand, and will have  
July 18 = C.  
Cuculata Schk  
July 14 = C.  
tribuloides  
Waltl.  
Am feeling  
very anxious  
about Mr.  
Watson. It  
don't seem  
possible.  
L.H.B.

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Ithaca, N. Y., Feb. 29 1892.

Dear Deane: Very sorry to hear about Mr.  
Watson. I can scarcely realize it. Keep  
me posted.

Yrs. the plant is C. scoparia.

Yours truly  
L. H. Bailey

Canastota, Mar. 2

I think that I did not  
answer your question about  
U. Sp. It is Union  
Springs, a little town near the  
north end of Lake Cayuga.

S. H. B.



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Ithaca, N. Y., Mch 21 1892.

Dear Deane: I can scarcely realize that I  
am not to see Mr. Watson again. With Dr.  
Gray and Dr. Watson gone, the Gardens will have  
no feeling of home to me hereafter. Do  
you know anything about - who ~~is~~ his successor  
will be?

Lots of snow and winter here. We are  
all well.  
L. H. Bailey

Horticultural Department of Cornell University Experiment Station.

L. H. BAILEY.

Ithaca, N. Y., ~~Feb.~~ **Feb. 23** 1892.

My Dear Deane: One plant is *C.*  
*Paxiflora* var. *divaricata* and the  
other I think is a new hybrid,  
*C. prasina* x *crinita*. Glad Mrs. D.  
improved. It must be  
very lonely at the Gardens.  
L. H. Bailey



Walter Deane,  
Brewster Place,  
Cambridge, Mass.

Ithaca, N. Y., Apr. 12 1892

My Dear Deane:

Your article in Torr. Bull. is excellent. I wish you had mentioned the genus Serenoa.

Dear me! I have not laid out a case for you. You no doubt refer to those things I promised to look up when I was at your place. I did look them up and sent you all I had - which amounted to only one or two, I think. Every body wants *C. milieris*. I had a bit of it - awhile ago from Labrador collected by a man who lives in New Brunswick. He expects to go again to Labrador this year and will make a special effort to get a lot of it. We have another addition to the Manual in *C. Assiniboensis* W. Booth, from Minnesota, coll. by Sandberg, altho' he does not yet know

that he has got it.

Yes, the same spinach leaves — or a  
part of them — stay green during winter.

Everything is going well with us.

Yours truly —  
J. H. Bailey

Horticultural Department of Cornell University Experiment Station.

L. H. BAILEY.

Mr. Bailey  
Ithaca, N. Y.,

April 27<sup>th</sup> 1892.

Dear Mr. Deane

Your letter came today  
but going to take it tonight and give it to  
the nurse and if he is able in the  
morning he shall have it. I know it  
will do him good to get the sympathy of such  
a friend, and how kind of you to think of  
flowers. His room is full but I know he  
will prize yours beyond expression.  
He is much better today. He was very  
miserable yesterday and I was anxious.  
I think he will be able to hear from you  
next week at the City Hospital. He keeps us  
all flying with his work. I have been reading



Mr. Walter Deane,  
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Mass.



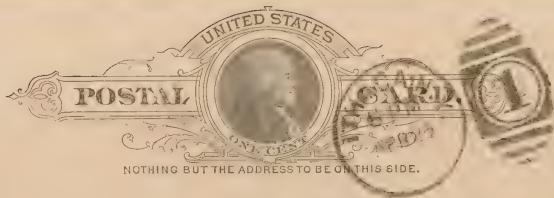
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Ithaca, N. Y.,

April 26 1892.

Dear Mr. Deane;  
You will be surprised to learn that Mr. Bailey is not able to write you. Sunday we took him to the hospital, and a skillful surgeon from New York performed the operation of removing the vermiform appendix. The little wretched thing has given him lots of trouble for years. He was very near death's door, nearer than the doctors suspected before the operation was performed. He is doing nicely. I just came from him and he wished me



Walter Deane;  
Cambridge,  
Mass.

March 1. 7. - 1892

My dear Mr. [unclear] 30

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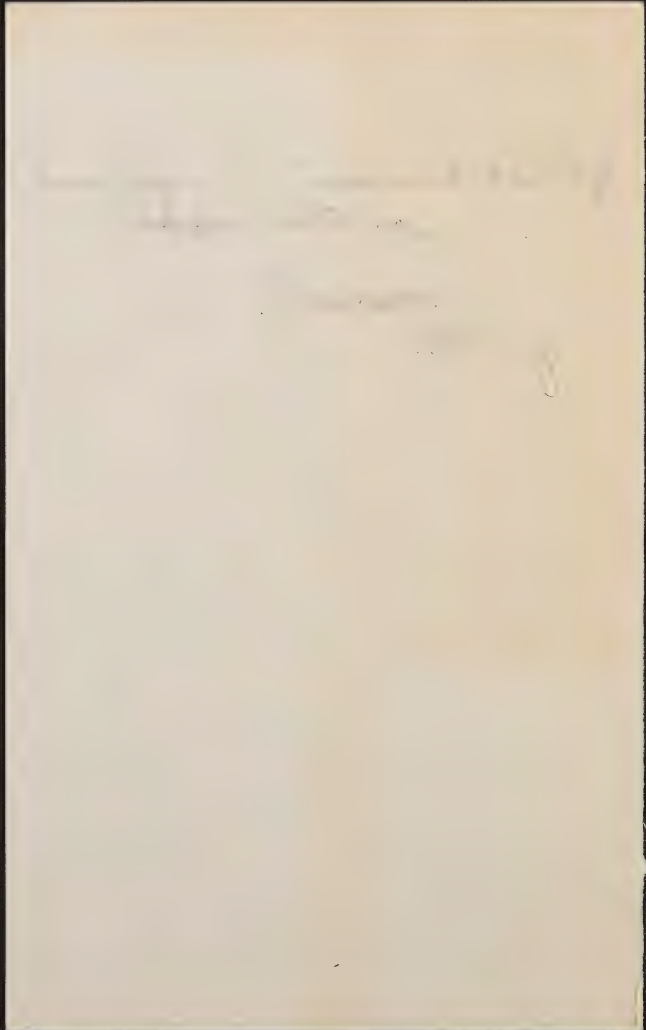
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Ithaca, N. Y., May 4 1892.

My Dear Sir:

Thank you for the letter just received

and for the trouble you have taken in writing me.

As the letter you refer to has been sent me a

few days ago I regret that I have not

been able to reply sooner.

Yes, you all planned for Venezuela and  
Beverly is going to be sent about the  
1st of June, but now I am  
not getting my vacation here!

I have been thinking of it all along.  
You should go to the office for me quite soon.

Good night. 3 days. I have  
just finished the paper.

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*Ithaca, N. Y.,*

*1892.*

I don't believe that you are  
this much. But I am in good spirits &  
will be glad to hear from you soon.  
Yours in  
Bailey



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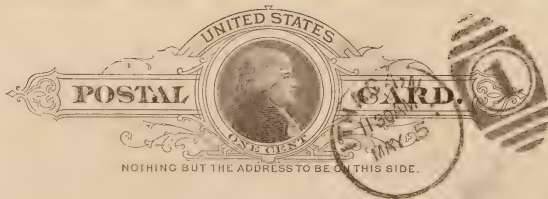
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Ithaca, N. Y., May 4 ..... 1892.

Dear Mr. Deane:

Mr. Bailey is pronounced out of danger, but must remain on his back until the expiration of twenty days. He will be brought home next week. You can write him any time at the Ithaca hospital.

Mrs Bailey



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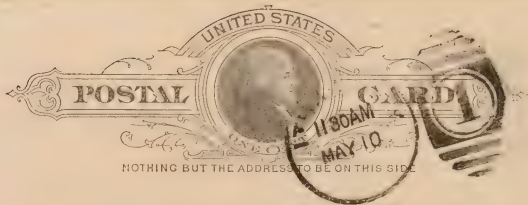
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Ithaca, N. Y., May 8 1892.

Dear Mr. Deane:

Mr. Bailey is not improving as fast as one would like to have him. We had expected to bring him home Thursday, but the wound doesn't heal as fast as they had expected. It has sort of come to a stand still and I don't know the result. He is very much disappointed. He will probably have to remain at least another week. Mrs. Bailey



Walter Deane,  
Brewster Place,  
Cambridge, Mass.

City Hospital,  
St. Paul, May 12

My dear Bess:

News of yesterday is just  
heard out here. I am very glad  
of it. My friends are all  
very soon writing to me.

Dear me! I expected to  
come tonight, but I must  
be here longer. There is  
some prospect that I  
shall be taken on the  
first Sunday. But these  
are still two holes  
in my abdomen. I

Should not mind until  
the doctor says there is  
perfectly safe. I set up  
now yet.

Yes, it is hard work  
for a sewing fellow to  
lie about so long. I have  
two large bumps on my  
back from the effects of  
it, but there is a skin-  
less patch on one thigh  
half as large as my  
palm. So I have  
enough to show my  
trouble and give me

a complete change; and  
a change is a vacation!  
But some not growing  
poor. I have read 5-  
volumes through, besides  
some other reading and  
have dictated letters,  
articles, & business. So  
my time is not all  
lost! But the best-  
est thing is to see  
the fruit-trees in  
bloom under my  
window & I can be  
there!



I shall be glad to hear  
about your speech and  
about the meeting of  
Wm. A. A. D.

I have had circulars of  
Hark. Truf. Wey. but  
have not yet replied

This new reach, & P. M.  
+ the house will be in  
the next thing I know, so  
I must quit. Must  
obey rules!

Yours &c

Geo. Bailey

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L. H. BAILEY.

Ithaca, N. Y., May 15- 1892.

Dear Mr. Greene:

You may be assured  
that no news is good, I have so much  
writing, and other things to do, that  
I may seem to neglect our friends. Mr. B.  
is doing well but - he is getting on slower  
than we expected. He cannot be moved  
before the last of the week. He has not  
set up yet. I shall keep you posted.  
Mrs. L. H. Bailey



Nothing but the address to be on this side.

Mrs Walter Deane,  
Brewster Place,  
Cambridge, Mass.

Sunday, May 10<sup>th</sup>

My Dear Deane:

It is 3 weeks to-day since I was waylaid, and I am still flat on my back with two embolized tubes in my abdomen. I hope to sit up a bit in a day or two, but it will be a week yet, I fear. I am going home. As soon as I get up danger of tearing begins.

How long I am! It is

astounding how empty  
the long days are! Two  
apple trees, a Marcella Cherry  
crude pear are all the  
ants world with which  
I am familiar, and with  
the ants and insects  
with surpassing interest  
as they come and go. It is  
all very strange and uncom-  
mon. But then how thankful  
I should be, for a poor woman  
across the hall is lying in her  
last illness, poor thing! Remember  
me to Mrs. B. L.H.B.

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City Hospital

March 17



Thurs. May 10 87

My Dear Friend

Your Sunday letter is here,  
and I am sitting up. So I  
am doubly glad! It seems  
like another world to be in  
a pair of new shoes.  
Comes within my reach  
and there is a large maple  
tree in front of the almost  
in full leaf. The hedges  
of bursting foliage are  
an inexpressible delight.

2  
And yet I have been in  
red but 23 days! But -  
they are the days in which  
Spring is made; and then  
I was laid up several  
days before I was cured.  
At odd times as I felt better  
it - I have read a little  
and I have managed to  
read with great delight.

A Dams, Christopher Columbus  
Tyler, Patrick Henry  
Ballou, Equatorial America  
Abbot, Cuttings at Odd Times

Romance. Scientific Evidence  
of Organic Evolution

Ball, Are the Effects of  
Use & Disuse Inherited?

Class, The Story of Creation

And I am now devouring  
Darwin's Life & Letters.

I expect to be taken  
home Thursday or Friday.

I got sore simply because  
nature gave me no  
cushions. You know

Let me belong to  
God's father! I was  
even poorer than usual  
when I was brought  
here.

Will, gladly, tell  
me all about your  
speech.

Yours as ever,  
T.H.B.

City Hospital  
March 1894

1830

Horticultural Department of Cornell University Experiment Station.

L. H. BAILEY.

Ithaca, N. Y., May 20 1892.

Dear Deane:

I came home yesterday  
and am feeling well.

L. H. Bailey



Walter Deane,  
Brewster Place,  
Cambridge, Mass.



Ithaca, N. Y., May 13 1892

My Dear Deane:

I have been home since Thursday and am improving daily. I hobble about with a cane like an old man. I have been out doors as far as my forcing-houses. I am feeling first-rate, but my locomotive powers are not good.

I have Kälstedt's weeds, for Experiment Station. They are good specimens.

I don't know F. F. Woods' address. The specimen was sent me by J. M. Kolzinger, Dr. Vasey's assistant at Washington. You might write him.

I long to get out-of-doors for a long tramp. I think that I can do so in a couple weeks.

Yours truly  
L. H. Bailey

Horticultural Department of Cornell University Experiment Station.

L. H. BAILEY.

Ithaca, N. Y.,

May 23-1892.

No, I have published only the things you mention. I have just-rec'd some obesa minor & will send you some. Am waiting a bit out of doors. L. H. B.



NOTHING BUT THE ADDRESS TO BE ON THIS SIDE.

Walter Deane,  
Brewster Place,  
Cambridge, Mass.

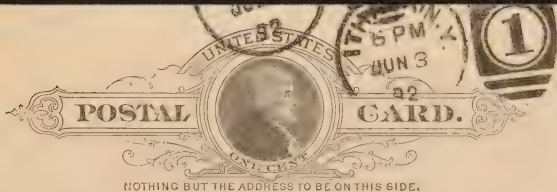
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L. H. BAILEY.

Ithaca, N. Y., June 3 1892.

Yes, I am well. The N.Y.  
Surgeon was up yesterday &  
said that I am well and  
sound. Will send man  
to get Vinca. Will write  
soon.

F.H.B.



Walter Deane,  
Brewster Place,  
Cambridge, Mass.

Horticultural Department of Cornell University Experiment Station.

L. H. BAILEY.

Ithaca, N. Y.,

*June 9* 1892.

All O.K. Am doing  
well, but awful busy,  
Can't write more than a  
line. L.H.B.





NOTHING BUT THE ADDRESS TO BE ON THIS SIDE.

Walter I leave,  
Brewster Place,  
Cambridge, Mass.



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Ithaca, N. Y., June 12 1892.

My Dear Deane:

This is correct to the best  
of my  
recollection.  
Carex ~~holzingeri~~, nos 13-14  
15-16 -  
Gray Man. 6<sup>th</sup> 28.  
Macan's Flou Can. R-5.  
1 var. in Poses Mex. 71.

I am doing  
well. The Sur-  
geon was here  
a few days ago  
and pronounced  
me well, although  
I am not yet  
healed up. I went

to his clinic at the city hospital a  
few days ago and saw some visceral  
Cancers removed, also a verminiform ap-  
pendix, a part of a jaw taken out, a  
hare-lip operated, and some other oper-  
ations.  
Interesting!

I don't believe that I can furnish  
any of your *Carex* desiderata.

Holzinger sends me *Carex* *Assiniiboia-*  
*ensis* from Minn. coll. by Sandberg.

Yours  
C. E. Bailey, alias J. H. Bailey

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Ithaca, N. Y., July 10 1892.

My Dear Deane:

I suppose that you are happy now that you are in the country again. I wish I were with you for a few days.

I am taking vacation in riding about the country. The other day I rode 40 miles through a charming hill country, and the last of the week I expect to drive to Geneva and back, about 100 miles.

We are all well. I am still sore and not very lively, but I am gaining.

You ought to come to Rochester to the meeting of A. A. S. Mrs. B. & I expect to go.

Yours truly

L. H. Bailey

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Ithaca, N. Y., July 18 1892.

My Dear Deane:

Have just returned from a four day's drive, covering nearly 150 miles. When I went to get the vines the fls. were gone; but I got fruiting specimens, which are not often seen in herbaria, I think. I never saw fruit of Moneywort. Didn't know that you were a cyclost!

L. H. B.

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Walter Deane,  
Jaffrey, N. Hampshire.

Horticultural Department of Cornell University Experiment Station.

L. H. BAILEY.

Ithaca, N. Y.,

July 21

1892.

Dear D:

Your boy turned out remarkably well. You are to be congratulated. I got home from my trip in good shape, but tired. Took 50 photographs. Am now planning a longer one for grape time.

Yours -

L. H. B.

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~~Brewster Place,~~  
Jaffrey, N. H.





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L. H. BAILEY.

Ithaca, N. Y.,

July 27

1892.

My Dear Deane:

The Shoffer raspberry is Rubus neglectus, Peck. It is all explained by myself in American Garden for Mrs. B.

Dec. 1890, p. 721, 722.

goes to Mich. for several weeks next Saturday & I shall soon go off on a tour. I am not well, and shall try to get  
rest.

Yours - L. H. Bailey

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Ithaca, N. Y., Aug 4 1892.

Dear Deane;

Yes, my wound has troubled me. It is only in the last two weeks that I have made a decided gain. I am now feeling well.

I saw my surgeon a few days ago and he says that I am doing well. The pain will wear off, I hope, soon.

To-morrow I am to start for the Hudson River region to be gone a week or

ten days. Letters sent here will be forwarded.

Yrs, the corn rows are very interesting. I  
once made the discovery and was much  
entertained by it.

I am collecting scarcely anything  
this year except in my garden.

Yours truly  
S. H. Bailey

since.

I am feeling  
first-rate.

Yours -  
L.H.B.



S.S. Roanoke

At Sea, Aug. 14

My Dear Deane:

I now find  
myself off Cape Charles,  
near the entrance to  
Chesapeake Bay. I got-  
to the Astor House in N.Y.  
yesterday at 2:45 P.M.  
and found that a boat  
was leaving for Norfolk

at 3. So I called a  
Cab, dropped a letter  
to my wife & got-  
across the city and  
to the boat at 3  
minutes before leaving  
time: and here I am.  
I shall get into Nor-  
folk to-night, but-  
where I shall go  
then no one knows.  
Mrs. B. is some-

where in Michigan  
— I don't know where.

I had a good time along  
the Hudson. I left home  
not knowing where I  
should go, but liked  
the looks of Kingston  
and stopped off. I  
staid there 3 days  
but got tired and  
have been on  
the gad ever

Did you ever  
hear a bell-buoy  
at sea?

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# The Bell Buoy

I sit on the waves  
I toss in the storm  
And the salt spray laves  
My skeleton form; -  
And all day long  
With a restless ease  
I roll my ding-dong  
On the ear of the breeze.

2  
And the mermaids hear  
In the ebb and flow  
And shake with fear  
In their beds below;  
And the sea-sprite goes  
In haste and away  
As I ring my woes  
At the break of day.

3  
And still thro' the night  
When the sea-winds moan  
And the phosphorus light-  
Mocks the shimmering moon,  
It tolls out the time  
In a monotone knell,  
In a dull hollow rhyme  
Like a voice from hell

Ah La!

# Whitcomb House.

EAST MAIN ST., ROCHESTER, N. Y.

WHITCOMB & DOWNS, Propr's.

Rochester, N. Y., Aug. 18 1892

My Dear Deane:

We are having a very fine meeting of the A.S. here. There are many botanists out, and the botanical papers are numerous and good. I wish you were here. I leave and I are rooming together.

I hope that you are still enjoying your vacation. Two or three have enquired about you.

Yours truly  
L.H. Bailey

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Ithaca, N. Y., Aug. 21 1892.

My Dear Deane:

Yes, the poem is mine. I sent  
you a rough draft, just as it occurred  
to me that day. Enclosed you will  
find a revision of it. I have a  
better verse — can't call it poem —  
which I will send you when I  
get time to copy it from my  
note-book.

Yes, I am well.  
Don't be afraid to write me. Letters  
will find me somewhere. Have just  
got a letter from my wife written  
the 13th.

Yours truly  
L. H. Bailey

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The Bell Buoy, Ithaca, N. Y.,

1892.

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I toss in the storm -  
And the salt spray laves  
My skeleton form; -  
And all the day long  
With a reckless ease  
I roll my ding-dong  
On the ear o' the breeze.

And the mermaids bear  
In the ebb and flow  
And shake with fear  
In their beds below;  
And the sea-sprite goes  
In haste and away  
As I ring my woes  
At the break of day.



And still thro' the night  
When the sea-winds moan  
And the phosph'rous light  
Mocks the shivering moon,  
I toll out the time  
In monotone knell,  
In the rue and rhyme  
Of some voice from hell.

So I sit and sing  
Where the billows he,  
A phantom-like thing -  
A ghost of the sea;  
And out from my bars  
Floats the doleful tone -  
Out under the stars -  
Of a soul alone.

N. Y. to Norfolk.

J. H. Bailey  
Aug. 14, 1892.

The Kirkwood,



PHILIP BECKER & SON, Prop'r's.

Geneva, N. Y., Aug. 27, 1892

My Dear Deane:

I have taken  
another little job on my  
hands in the revision of  
of the Field Forest & Garden  
Botany — Barnes having  
given it up. This was the  
first botany which I ever  
saw and the one which  
gave me my love for  
plants. How strangely  
things run and how old I  
am! Dear one! It is a  
big job for one of my  
calibre!

The big meeting at

Rochester is over. Next-  
year it meets at Madison,  
Wisconsin. Section F - in-  
cluding all biology - was  
divided, Section G being  
formed for botany alone.  
The botanists have eclipsed  
the zoologists in numbers for  
two or three years past, and  
this year they were incom-  
monly numerous.

I am well, I guess.

Yours truly,  
A. H. Bailey

If there are any  
mulberries, wild  
or cultivated, about you,  
send me specimens.



# Lake Superior Transit Company's Steamer

Lake Erie, Sept. 11 1892

My Dear Deane:

Yes, I own that I have neglected you shamefully, but then I have had no time for anything but to skip and hustle. I went home long enough to write up the carices for Coulter's Flora of Texas and to write my part of the 2nd volume of Johnson's Cyclopaedia, which is now undergoing revision, and I am now on the wing again. I don't know where I shall alight. I want to get to Michigan and Chicago, and so I told my foreman not to forward me any mail for four or five days so that there will be nothing to call me back. Mrs. B. and the babies have been in Michigan for some weeks, but she has no idea of where I am. I wrote her some days ago that I was going to skip and she would hear from me sometime. Dear me! Traveling by boat is slow work!

I have paid my fare though, but  
I am going to get off at Erie and  
take a train. I have been on  
board 12 hours and I am tired out  
sitting around. There is a good sea  
on to-day - as my writing testifies!  
- and I am having the indescribable  
pleasure of seeing other folks sick and  
feeling like an old salt myself.

Well, address me at Ithaca. Your  
letters will find me. Don't wait for  
me to write. I am always glad to  
hear from you. No, I don't quite  
savor the tone of Button's article  
in Gazette.

I don't know when you  
return to ~~Jaffa~~ Cambridge.

Yours ever,

J. H. Bailey

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Lansing, Mich.

Hudson, N. Y.,

Sept. 18 1892.

My Dear Sir:

I am delighted to hear of your pleasant  
Hudson River Lacey days. Nothing is so in-  
spiring and invigorating as the return to  
your man's primal and normal state. How

rich and full are the books are  
when one is of field! There is an abundance  
and a profusion in the fields which the best  
pen cannot catch. But it is with nature,  
for it is only life that can express life.

Here I am in my old haunts. Hopkocks  
in the woods, the September glow on the  
long fields, and the faint yellow of the  
coming Indian summer, all being up  
scenes long since past and as mellow and  
sweet as the hazy autumn skies. Host a  
longwalk yesterday, and went out of my way to  
see the old friends of my  
youth. How strangely my heart like  
is mirrored in these Lansing scenes! How  
the country has, all the more



aglow and every object a mysterious  
mystery. Here I grew, as it were, into  
nets, a transference and love of all things out  
of doors, followed the stream far into the  
deep woods, through winding trails of the  
cattle over the newly cleared fields, smelt the  
burning odor of the tamarack logs and  
sat long by the sides of the quiet little  
ponds. Here I finally graduated, and, full  
feathered after my first moult, flew forth  
with great expectations. Here, too, I came as  
a teacher, and learnt more experience  
giving knowledge of the very objects in  
fact at first arouse my curiosity. And so  
I hope to hold the ties of my affection fast so  
long as I can remember the passing years.  
But the place does not attract me for its present  
interest. My love is one of the past. My tastes  
and hopes have been transplanted to other fields  
and there my heart lies while my emotions  
are brooding over my Lancing days. But  
in all this you are not interested now in  
all this world I have done nothing but to  
love you; but that is my work.

Farville, Ky.  
Sept. 22

My Dear Sirs:

Twenty-four years  
ago I was at my old  
home way down in  
Southwestern Michigan. To-  
day I spoke to one of  
the first business  
men and met the first  
one for over a standing  
year. It is the way  
these things are. The place  
town is located in  
Rome of the institute,  
and the reputation of  
the place is excellent. The  
to speak is these things  
and things.



much as the captured  
Lives of a Crowd.  
There is a bloom of life  
seen cordially in it  
which exhibits. I have  
sent a message to my  
foreman to come with  
camera and several  
open plates and we will  
photograph the varieties  
of grapes. Lake Erie  
lies below to the  
west, and the phos-  
phate slopes are ribbed  
with grapes. It is  
a beautiful country,  
and to one whose im-  
agination turns to  
mind, it combines  
the inspirations of  
pictures and nature.  
Yours

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## PROGRAMME.

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THURSDAY, 10.30 A. M.

Horticultural Work in the National Department of Agriculture.

GEO. T. POWELL, Director.

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THURSDAY, 2 P. M.

Question Box.

Some American Grape History,

Prof. L. H. BAILEY, Cornell University, Ithaca.

The Successful Fruit Grower of the Future,

S. D. WILLARD, Geneva.

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THURSDAY, 7 P. M.

Question Box.

How Wood Engravings are Made,

Mrs. ANNA B. COMSTOCK, Ithaca.

## PROGRAMME.

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FRIDAY, 10 A. M.

Some Things Essential in Grape Culture,

GEO. C. SNOW, Penn Yan.

Recent Results in Fighting Some Fruit Insects,

Prof. J. H. COMSTOCK, Cornell University, Ithaca.

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FRIDAY, 1.30 P. M.

Exhibition of Spraying Vineyard, L. I. YOUNG, Fredonia.

Question Box.

From the Kitchen Door to the Golden Gate,

Mrs. M. H. FAIRCHILD, Silver Creek.



Reduced rates on railroads and at hotels will be obtained for those in attendance.

A Question Box will be used at the opening of each session, and all are requested to contribute.

Vocal, Orchestral and Band music expected.

Fine Exhibition of Fruit and Vegetables will be held in an adjoining tent, managed by the Chautauqua Horticultural Society.

Over 1,000 plates of Grapes in 100 varieties are expected.

All are cordially invited to attend and take part.

The presence of ladies is especially desired.

# Kalamazoo House,

O. F. MILLARD, Prop.

Kalamazoo, Mich., Sept. 24 1892

My Dear Seane:

As you know,  
Kalamazoo is the greatest  
celery district in the New  
World. To-day I have taken  
a long tramp through the  
celery fields with my  
Lans camera and I  
have enjoyed both the novelty  
of the celery cultivation  
and the fine September Inn.  
I have been through the  
celery fields before; in  
fact, I have seen them  
frequently, but every visit  
more firmly impresses  
upon my mind the  
great natural adaptability

of this place for this particular crop. If you have ever read J. Fenimore Cooper's "Oak Openings" you will recall the marshes of the Crooked Ki-Kalama-zoo river. These marshes are now cleared and drained, but they are always moist; and the deep friable black land is a sight to look upon.

Holl and I settled here in an early day, and true to the traditions of their mother country, settled upon these flat lands. The Yankee looks for too quick returns and thus he often misses the best chances.

Samuel,  
J. H. Dailey



# TREMONT HOUSE.

ALVIN HULBERT & W. S. EDEN, Props.

G. A. COBB, Manager.

Chicago, Sept. 28 1892

My Dear Deane:

Dear me! I wonder if I will ever get home! There is always something to lead me on and on. But I am going to make a desperate break the last of this week and see if I can't get home for Sunday. Wife and babies are in Michigan.

My brother lives here and I am going to try to call on him, but I may not make it. I saw him some two years ago. We are both vagabonds by nature, and that is all we have in common.

I wish that you could  
come to see me again  
this winter, now that we  
are settled and my work  
is beginning to assume  
some dimensions. I should  
like Mrs. D. to come too, but  
I suppose that there is no  
use of urging her for so  
long a trip.

Yours as ever,

F. H. Bailey



The Kirkwood,



Geneva, N. Y., Oct. 8 1892

PHILIP BECKER & SON, Prop'r's.

My Dear Deane:

I got home a week ago to-day, but getting tired of staying so long in one place, I came away to get a little change. I found a letter there from you, and more work waiting for me than I dare hope to accomplish this winter. But it matters little how much I have to do, for my time is full anyway and what I can't do simply goes undone. So I don't worry about my work. The University is very full

this year, and with its  
new president, it has  
entered upon its third  
epoch, and we expect  
great things in the way  
of increased efficiency in  
teaching.

I am hoping to get  
out a few times to get golden-  
rod and asters, but am  
half afraid that I shall  
not find the time. Your  
vine is among my  
rubbish and I will find  
it when I clean house.

I am well,

Yours truly

L. R. Bailey



EAGLE HOTEL.



A. E. &amp; J. S. WINNE, PROPRIETORS.

Kingston, N. Y., Nov. 6 1892

My Dear Sir:

Every visit to this beautiful Hudson river region increases my love for it. I have even thought of coming along its shores to live, and I may someday. I have enjoyed <sup>it</sup> more than ever this time because I spent yesterday with John Burroughs! I found him like his books — a simple, quiet, sympathetic, natural man. He has a little back-

Covered hut back of his  
house, overlooking the  
Hudson, in which he  
reads and writes. This he  
calls his "Bohemia". There  
I found him in a flannel  
shirt, coat off, surrounded  
by a library of all sorts  
of out-door books and  
poems and portraits of  
many authors. He captures  
my heart because there  
is no mannerism or affecta-  
tion in his demeanor.  
And now I shall call on  
him frequently.

To-morrow I  
shall see a man of a  
different stamp, for I  
am to be the guest of  
vice-president Morton at



EAGLE HOTEL.



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Kingston, N. Y., ..... 189

his country home across  
the Hudson. He wrote me  
a few days ago to call  
on him to-morrow. I  
am anxious to hold the  
contrasts of these two  
men in my mind  
— one a simple, retired  
oracle of nature, the  
other a busy man of  
the world carrying the  
responsibilities of position  
and wealth.

I must be home  
Tuesday to vote for  
Cleveland  
J. H. Bailey

The Bates,  
Indianapolis

Dec. 6 - 1892

My Dear Deane:

How the time flies  
and how long it has been  
since, I have heard from  
you! It is strange how  
our correspondence drops  
now and then, and yet  
neither of us means that  
it shall. It is now  
many years since I have  
visited this interesting  
city and it looks  
strange to me. Somehow  
I have always had a  
yearning for Indianapolis.  
Cities sometimes affect  
me as friends do, and  
I long to see them again.  
Springfield, Illinois, is  
another of these. Perhaps

I cannot resist the  
temptation to go there in  
a day or two, I am  
going so near to it. There  
are little cities scattered  
up and down the land  
that always affect me  
pleasantly when I read  
their names in the news-  
papers or see them on the  
map. There are others  
which, somehow, I  
cannot love. Philadelphia  
is one and Albany  
is another. Iowa,  
Michigan, is always  
home to me, but its  
big neighbor, Grand  
Rapids, somehow does  
not attract me. I sup-  
pose that these differences are  
apart of myself and not  
of the cities; but they are  
very real to me. I must still  
go on. Goodbye. F. W. Bailey



# Royal Hotel

J. Martin  
Proprietor.

W. H. Sanders  
Manager.

Guelph, Ont Dec. 22 1892

My Dear Deane:

I found your letter at home as I stopped off the other day, and was glad to hear that you are happy. We are all well. I expect to get home Saturday sometime. This is a typical Canadian city, the seat of the Ontario Agricultural College, where I am to speak to-morrow.  
A whole bundle

of plants which I  
pressed last-summer  
is missing, and your  
vine is among them.  
Will take a good look  
for them.

Yours, on the wing,

L. H. Bailey

Merry Christmas.

Horticultural Department of Cornell University Experiment Station.

L. H. BAILEY.

Ithaca, N. Y., Xmas 1892.

My Dear Deane:

I am much obliged for your  
kind remembrance with the book.  
I already have this book, however,  
but I can change it - for something  
else.

Cold and snowing - a Typical

Christmas

L. H. Bailey

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Drewster Place,  
Cambridge,  
Mass.

# The Millerton House,

Robert Kaye, - Proprietor.

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Millerton, N. Y., Dec. 28 1892

My Dear Deane:

Yes, you want  
to know where Millerton is.  
It is a mile from the Con-  
necticut line, under the  
skirts of Massachusetts which  
distills the essence of her  
intellect upon it! To-day  
I spoke at Katonah, a  
Inug hith hamlet just  
above New York. There is a  
Strong University Extension  
Center there. This is an  
interesting old country  
and I enjoy it.  
Sincerely  
R. Kaye

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L. C. CORBETT, ASSISTANT IN EXPERIMENT STATION.

Ithaca, N. Y., Jan. 7 1893

My Dear Deane:

Any of the books you mention or any  
of Thoreau's would be very acceptable.

I am now very busy with teaching,  
writing and travelling. Wish I might see

You again!

Yours truly

A dozen collections,  
of Carex to name!

L. H. Bailey

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Philadelphia Jan 2 1893

My Dear Deane:

Here I am again in the Quaker city! Queer old city it is, and I never liked it. But I suppose that the city feels no spite! I have been down in Delaware haranguing the natives. I always enjoy going there, and at Dover I never omit going out to see the whipping post and pillory. The whipping is still one of the commonest punishments. It is strange that such an institution should persist almost within the shadow of our biggest cities!

Snow is deep in Dover - that is, about 6 inches - and the people act as if they were suddenly trans-



ported into Greenland. It is rare  
that so much snow falls in  
the Peninsula.

To Rutgers to-morrow.

Yours truly &c  
L. H. Bailey

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Ithaca, N. Y., Jan. 27 1893

My Dear Deane;

I have just returned from an absence of nearly a week and I find "Cape Cod" waiting for me. I am greatly obliged to you for it. It will make a nice addition to my growing list of out door books.

Yesterday on the train I met Mr. Dunningway, who had just seen you. I was glad to hear from you.

I have been in N.Y. attending a dinner given by the Vanderbilts, Depew, and others, and I tried my hand at an after-dinner speech. Considering the fact that I was neither hissed down nor looked out, I feel very much complimented. I shall stay at home now for two or three days.

Yours truly  
L. H. Bailey

HOTEL SCHLOSSER.  
EUROPEAN PLAN.  
PENN AVE. & SIXTH ST.  
PITTSBURGH, PA.

Pittsburgh, Feb. 21

My Dear Deane:

Dear me! I was  
at home all last week - the  
first - whole week at home  
since November! But now  
I am taking a needed  
change, and for a couple  
days shall inhale the  
delightful carbonaceous  
air of Pittsburgh! I left  
home in the worst storm  
of the winter, much to the  
disgust of my mother  
half - but then, poor girl,  
she is getting used to being a  
semi-widow! And as for  
me - well, I am a  
vagrant! An infernal  
type-writer - referring to the

machine, of course - is  
hanging at an assumed  
address which I am  
preparing and I cannot  
write more.

Yours, for keeps,  
F. H. Bailey

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# American Gardening.

L. H. BAILEY, Editor.  
E. A. LONG, Editorial Contributor.

Hibaca, N. Y., Apr. 29 1893

My Dear Deane:

Well! Well! How the days  
and weeks have flown! I have  
been buried beneath huge piles  
of manuscripts and plants and  
for many days have not been  
able to take any note of the  
world outside. And even now,  
I have only got my ears above  
the surface. I feel like a  
veritable Rip Van Winkle.  
For a month I have not  
been away from home, and  
for a longer period I  
have been obliged to forego  
most of the decent amenities  
of life. Several great col-  
lections of plants still await

inspection. I don't see where  
all these canals grow!

But the worst part of all  
this long Siesta is the fact  
that I have forgotten my  
best friend! But I shall  
remember you better from  
now on. As for that pesky  
prunus, I should look first  
at *P. Mahaleb*.

*C. saxatilis* var. *Grahami* Hbbs  
yet, but I have not published  
*C. Kunzei* for *C. canescens* v.  
*Oregana*, altho' I think I shall  
do so. No, I never found  
that *Vinca*.

Forgive me, and let's begin  
all over again.

Yours ever,

A. H. Bailey

# Picket House

J. C. White, Proprietor.

Portland, Me. May 31/83

My Dear Deane:

I am free to say that I don't like these raw winds which pay no regard to clothing and chill one to the marrow. Their only service, I imagine, is to make the great coal fires look the warmer and to keep the vagrants off the street. I am tempted by the attractive conformations of the bays to scour them for some signs of re-turning life, but I am timid even in this May-day. So, being naturally timid and retiring, I shall keep myself well indoors and dream of July.



What am I doing here?  
I am sorry that you asked  
me, for it makes me tes-  
tify to my vagrancy.  
Surely, twenty four hours  
ago I had no idea of  
seeing Portland; but  
going through, I thought  
of Longfellow and all  
the rest, and just tumbled  
off.

Yours ever  
L. H. Bailey



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May 2 1893

My Dear Walter:

I have got  
as far as Newport and  
still no serious  
news from home. My  
plan is now to go to  
New York to-night and  
reach there Sunday  
morning.

I called at  
the house yesterday,  
but found Mrs. Deane  
out. I presume that the  
servant reported to her  
that I had news that  
the doctor is no worse.

Yours in haste,  
F. H. Bailey

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L. H. BAILEY, Editor.  
EDWIN C. POWELL, Assistant Editor.

Ithaca, N. Y., May 15 - 1893

My Dear Deane:

Found my friend very sick,  
but mending, and everything now  
looks like recovery. So, I leave  
for Chicago to-night. In my  
anxiety, I am afraid that I did  
not thank you and Mrs. D. sufficiently  
for your many kindnesses, but I  
appreciate them. You made my

Stay very pleasant.

I pulled up a bit of wire as  
I ran down town to-day and sent it  
fresh by this mail. But I am afraid  
that it will not be worth much  
when it reaches you.

Yours very heartily,

L. A. Bailey

N.Y. Building,  
Jackson Park,  
Chicago.

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OFFICE OF THE OBSERVER.

Station,

(Date)

Chicago, Ill.

May 21 1893

My Dear Walter:

I have now been a  
: denizen of the great white City for four  
days, and every moment increases my  
admiration and wonder for the most  
stupendous scenic achievement which  
man has undertaken. Yes, I will see  
you the official guide, but it can  
give you but a conception of the magnif-  
icence of the great show. No description,  
set down in cold precision, can carry  
to one's mind the electric enthusiasm  
with which he looks down the great  
central lagoon with its majestic  
colonnades of architectural beauties,  
the multiplying shores of vegetation,  
and the gaudy tournament of blue  
his barges and picturesque rowing  
It cannot unfold the electric color

panee of the classic peristyle set in  
front of the broad blue waters of  
Lake Michigan. It cannot even sug-  
gest to him the bewildering variety  
of strange scenes and tongues from  
every land, drawn in the hard lines  
of the most inhospitable climates or  
set in the voluptuous jewelry of  
the orient. It is all here — an epitome  
of man's works, a daring monu-  
ment to his artistic and architectural  
genius, a compound of fact in-  
finite variety and elegance that it  
swims in the mind & like the  
memory of some, intoxicating and  
fantastic dream.

The reporter's duty is that  
of the analyst. He goes into detail.  
He picks flaws where the visitor  
sees none. There is much founda-  
tion for the stories of mismanage-  
ment and jealous and political pick-  
crumps, but these are gradually  
wearing away, and the great  
body of the exposition is a



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majestic success. The horticultural department has suffered from poor, very poor management and the exhibition is far below its possibilities; but I shall not let that fact blind me to the other and more important fact that the Exposition is worth a trip around the world to see.

No small part of the many attractions is the daily free concert of 114 pieces under the direction of Theodore Thomas. Music is heard at its best when one goes casually, free to sit or move as he likes and undisturbed by displays of dress or stage formalisms. The mind then follows the music with wild delight. The first concert took me completely off my feet.

I realized fully for the first time the power of the classic compositions, for they were rendered by competent hands and in sufficient volume to roll out the mighty harmonies. I remember that as I closed my eyes I seemed to lose all sense of time and to be overcome with the feeling that all the eternal spaces are one swelling ocean of sound.

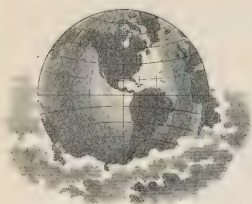
You need not pay me for the book. It is only a quarter. I shall try to write often, but my mind is so full that days slip by almost before I know they have dawned.

Yours,  
F. R. Bailey

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# Director General of the Exposition.



DEPARTMENT OF HORTICULTURE,  
J. M. SAMUELS, Chief

Chicago, Ill. U.S.A. May 31. 93

My Dear Deane:

I am still gazing in bewilderment at the great fair, and wondering if I can ever see it all. Well, I shall not try. 100,000 exhibits is too many for two poor eyes to look at, besides all the strange medley of manners and men on the Midway Plaisance. I shall see the few things which I am particularly interested in pretty thoroughly, and then take a rapid glance at what else I can. You and Mrs. D. must come by all means. You can't afford to miss it. Let me know about it.



Come, some days in advance, and  
I will make some inquiries for  
rooms for you.

Yes, my friend is better. When  
I left him, all looked very well,  
but my wife now writes that  
they fear that another operation  
will be necessary. But I learn  
that there will probably be no  
great <sup>great</sup> danger attending it.

I have asked my assistant at  
Ithaca to press some flowers of  
Vinca.

Yours  
J. R. Bailey

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DEPARTMENT OF HORTICULTURE,  
J. M. SAMUELS, Chief

Chicago, Ill. U.S.A. June 16 1893

My Dear Deane:

I have been up in  
northern Michigan, and found  
your card of the 11th upon my  
return this morning. I expect  
to remain here or hereabouts  
all the season, and you may  
address me in care of the New  
York State Building, World's Fair.  
September, I imagine, will be  
a very crowded month; but  
any time will find enough  
to see and admire.

My friend in Ithaca is  
now sitting up and he wrote me

a letter in pencil a day or two  
ago.

I am just now taking up  
the preparation of an address  
for the Wald's Meteorological  
Congress, which will occupy  
my thoughts for some days  
to come.

I guess that I am well.  
Write me often.

Yours ever,  
F. W. Bailey



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Chicago, Ill. U.S.A. June 30 '93

My Dear Deane:

Yours of the 24th is here.  
Don't fail to come when you can.  
I shall try to call on your brother  
some day when I am in town.  
I saw Dr. Kennedy and family a  
few days ago. My stay here is  
partly in interest of Field, Forest  
& Garden Botany, and as soon  
as I get home this fall I  
shall take it up in earnest.  
I am studying cultivated plants  
here, and am getting much  
help. I have an office  
in the Horticultural building

where I loaf the golden days  
away. I am meeting many  
old friends and class mates,  
and am happy. I have sent

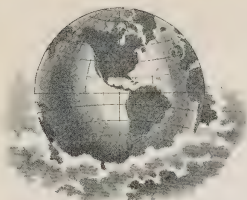
for Sara to come to see  
me. She is now 6 years  
old and well advanced for  
her age, and I think that  
she will remember many  
things about the Fair. At  
any rate, I am looking  
forward to a happy time  
when she comes. She is a  
dear little girl and is lots of  
company to me.

It is now lunch  
time and I must go.

Yours,

J. H. Bailey





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Chicago, Ill. U.S.A. July 11

My Dear Deane:

One of your varieties is *C. straminea* & the other is the strictor form of *C. stricta*.

You will read of the terrible fire here yesterday. I saw it all — saw the firemen and others plunged into the burning cauldron by the falling tower & saw them drop to death when the ropes burned in two. It was an awful spectacle and it haunts me like a terrible and lurid nightmare.

Yours ever

F. A. Bailey



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BARCLAY  
& VESSEY  
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NEW YORK

July 13 1893

My Dear Deane:

You must be having a good time rusticating so quietly in old Concord. If any place is restful, surely it is Concord! I was over in Michigan again last week, and had a two day's Carriage ride, much to the delight of myself and the disgust of the horse. But, somehow, my rusticating is fitful and I have learned that I cannot depend upon it. I suppose that you will be in Chicago in September and take an outing botanizing on the pavements!



I flew off the target  
a day or two ago, alighted  
amongst my family at  
Lansing for a couple  
hours & much to their  
consternation — took a boat  
ride the length of my own  
beautiful Cayuga, shot  
in upon the folks at  
Ithaca, and landed here  
on my feet!

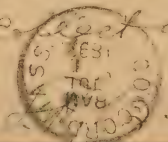
Yours ever,  
F. W. Bailey

Horticultural Department of Cornell University Experiment Station.

L. H. BAILEY.

Chicago July 18  
~~Utica, N. Y.~~ 1893.

I am much interested in your  
Portulaca variations. If it comes  
ready, get me some. Do you  
want Amaranthus phytolites? Lots  
of it - along streets here. I  
want to get out on the  
prairies soon to collect a  
bit. Yours L. H. Bailey



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My Dear Deane:

Three or four days I ago I received a letter or card, from you in Chicago, but I have forgotten where you are, so I shall address this to Cambridge. You move about so much that I can scarcely keep track of you. I dropped my wife off at Lansing night before last and came on to see how things look along the Susquehanna.

I dropped in onto the people  
at Ithaca, and while they  
were gasping for breath, took  
a little run off here. I  
think that I shall take  
a little outing, and you  
can address me at  
Ithaca for the present. I  
hope that you are happy.  
I shall hope to beat the  
great White City when you  
visit it, but I can't  
tell. It's a good ways  
off and I am a poor  
hand to travel much.  
But you will enjoy it  
all, and I want to  
know your impressions of  
it.

Yours truly  
J. R. Bailey

Ithaca, N. Y., Aug. 9 1893

My Dear Deane:

Here you are way off in  
Jeffrey! How you go! I have  
been rustivating down about  
New York for some days and  
have now bobbed in on the  
people here for a time. It is  
too hot to travel much, so I  
shall probably be fixed for a  
time. I have been gorging my-  
self in my garden on black-  
berries and apricots until I  
feel quite aldermanic. I see  
nothing new to write about  
and so must close. Nearly everyone  
is away from here now, and my  
chief company is wicked thoughts and  
mosquitoes. Yours for keeps,  
L. H. B.



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Ithaca, N. Y., Aug. 13 1893

My Dear Deane;

Well! Well! Here I am,  
still doing business at the  
old stand. And I suppose  
that you are still sojourning  
amongst the impenetrable  
wilds of New Hampshire. A  
Chap down in the Catskills  
finds a caterpillar which seems  
to be new! Strange! It is near  
*C. aestivalis*, and he says it  
grows in abundance. He is  
anxious to describe it, but  
I shall advise him to hold  
awhile. You shall have  
some in the fall.

So you are to make the  
memorable journey in September?  
Good. You will enjoy it. If  
I were not so diffident



about Travelling, I should  
go, too.

I went botanizing yesterday  
for two whole hours — the  
first time in two years, and  
I got *Myosotis palustris*,  
wet feet, *Polemonia graveo-*  
*lens*, and a most extraor-  
dinary *apricot*. This reminds me  
that I want to attack our  
last apricot tree before  
some one else does; so Good bye.

Ever thine,  
L.H.B.

# Hudson House,

A. & J. A. Pearsall, Props.

Lansing, Mich., Aug 15 1893

My Dear Deare:

Really, my dear Sir, I could not help it. I got lonely Sunday night, so I bundled up my trousseau and came on to see the wife and babies. And now we shall go on in search of the big Fair to-night. So you may as well send your letters to N. York State Bldg., Jackson Park, as anywhere else. It doesn't matter much where they go — I will get them somewhere. But drop me a line, anyhow, so you find time. Yours ever, L. W. Bailey

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Hhaca, N. Y.,

Aug. 23 1893

My Dear Seane:

Yours of the 19th found  
me today still gazing in wonder  
at the marvels of the great fair,  
which I am vainly trying to see  
in the time at my disposal.

I am sorry to hear of your ill-  
ness, but hope that you are  
better now. I have been attending  
the Horticultural and Meteorologi-  
cal Congresses in the city and  
have not been to Madison.

The meeting at Madison was  
very small, I hear. The attrac-  
tions of the Fair and stringency  
of money have been against  
all summer meetings.

Tell me when you expect to be  
here. I hope that I shall be

here then. I shall leave no  
early in the middle of  
September. I am getting much  
information for Gray's Botany,  
although the Horticultural ex-  
hibits are not so good as  
they should have been. I am  
well.

Yours truly,

C. H. Bailey

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St. Joseph, Mich., Aug 27 1893

My Dear Deane:

Yours of last  
date from Jaffrey reaches  
me in Chicago. I have  
been rustivating in  
the <sup>musk</sup> melon fields of  
this vicinity, the largest  
in the Northern States.  
I struck one good field  
of 25 acres in prime  
condition which kept  
my jaws exercising for  
some hours. And as  
for peaches and all such  
— there is really no  
end to them. I am  
anxious to know when  
you are coming to the  
big white city. Perhaps  
I can be there when  
you come.

Yours melon-chobey  
F. H. Bailey





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J. M. SAMUELS, Chief

WORLD'S COLUMBIAN COMMISSION.

OFFICE OF THE

# Director General of the Exposition.

Chicago, Ill. U.S.A. Sept. 2 93

Hello! Glad to see you! I am  
going to Michigan, to morrow  
and will be back Friday morning,  
possibly Thursday. I live at 335  
Bremen Ave., but can be found  
during the day at the Nat'l Bldg.  
I am in a little room on the  
west side of the dome gallery.

Call.

Yours -

F. H. Bailey

Ithaca, N. Y., Oct. 10 1893

My Dear Deane:

I am glad that you got home in good condition and that you saw enough of the Fair to pay for the exertion. I feel that I saw a good deal of it, but I want to go back for a few days when the best glory of the Indian summer is upon it. But I may not.

I am expecting to get the Botany done this winter. Teachers are pressing me but I can't do it - hastily. It's a big job. I am at it.

I am well, and hard at work. I am now writing Carex for the Check-list of the Botanical Club.  
Yours - L. H. Bailey



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Ithaca, N. Y.,

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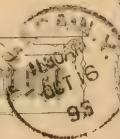
Yes, I collected the Carex  
hybrids at Lansing -

L. H. B.

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Brewster Place,  
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Ithaca, N. Y., Oct. 22 1893

My Dear Deane:

I hope that you are entirely re-  
covered from your Chicago illness.  
I doubt if I get to the White City  
again. I have lots of work ahead  
me, I find. Would Carex interioris

be a proper name for a carex that grows  
inland? Is it the proper form?

Yours - L. H. Bailey

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Ithaca, N. Y., Oct. 26 1893

My Dear Deane;

Much obliged for your note  
on the Latin. After I wrote you,  
I consulted my lexicon and saw  
that *C. interior* is the proper form.  
I am afraid to use *mediterranea*, be-  
cause it has probably been used  
in Europe. I am now making

up Carex for the Botanical Club's  
Check List.

Yours truly  
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Ithaca, N. Y., Dec. 10 1893

My Dear Deane;

I am to lecture before the  
Mass. Hort. Soc. in Boston in  
Jan. or Feb., and will look over your  
bag hay there. Write C. L. Shear,  
Alcove, Albany Co., N. Y.

Grinding now on Rosa. Hope to  
get half the vol. to printer by first

week in Jan. Big job — and  
I have 3 other bigger jobs on my  
hands for the winter. The test of  
usefulness is use — which applies  
to my excellent garden Herbarium.

Glad Mrs. D. is improving.  
Pay day comes on our book in  
Feb.

Yours as always,

J. N. Bailey



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Ithaca, N. Y., Dec. 23 1893

My Dear Deane;

I enclose bit of the  
works of Barrington and  
Thoreau which I have. You  
are very kind to think of me  
in this way.

I am looking forward  
to a pleasant chat with you  
when I come on in Feb-  
ruary. An annual ex-  
cursion to Boston and  
Cambridge is one of the  
pleasant events in my  
life, and the visits  
with you, my dear  
fellow, are very bright-  
spots in those events.  
When I come this time, I

Shall have a multitude of  
things to look up at the  
gardens.

✓ Merry Christmas to you  
and Mrs. Deane from us  
both.

Yours ever,  
F. H. Bailey

HORTICULTURAL DEPARTMENT, CORNELL UNIVERSITY.

L. H. BAILEY.

Ithaca, N. Y., Xmas 1893.

Dear Deane: Please tell me about  
the Natural Hist. Socy of which  
you speak occasionally — when  
it meets. I should much  
like to attend when I am on,  
if I may be allowed.

Yours tr

Respectfully

Boston Feb. 3.

L. H. B.

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Ithaca, N. Y., Dec. 31 1893

Dear Deane: Here is my last  
letter for 1893 - to my best-  
friend!

But I don't know anything  
about *Vallisneria*, except  
that upon its northern limits  
it seldom grows profusely.  
There is nothing in its be-  
havior, so far as I know,  
which would indicate that  
it would become a bad  
weed. Neither is there any  
such indication in *Anaph-  
alis*, but it is a great  
curse in Europe. I should  
have no hesitation what-  
ever in putting it in a  
pond, for it could easily  
be destroyed if necessary;

The only precaution is to  
be careful to keep it out  
of the streams. But I  
don't believe that it  
could ever become a  
nuisance in Scotland.  
It would probably grow  
in an artificial pond  
or one protected from  
too severe winds and from  
which other plants could  
be more or less excluded.

That building that bothers  
you is Robertson Hall  
— law. It is now com-  
pleted.

I shall be anxious to hear  
about Dr Robinson's little  
girl.

Happy New Year!

A.H.B.

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Ithaca, N.Y., Jan. 4 1894

My Dear Deane:

The book is here,  
and it is just the one I  
should have selected. I am  
greatly obliged for the book  
and the remembrance.

Gray's Botany is a bad  
job to revise. I am now  
about through with the  
nasty little orders, preced-  
ing Leguminosae.

What does Ophiaria mean  
— Pledge-making? A

plant recently introduced



from Japan is Aegle sepiaria. \*

Rainy & muddy here.

Yours ever  
A. B.

\* It is used for hedges.

Ithaca, N. Y.,

Feb. 13

1894

Dear Deane:

I got home Sunday morning in good condition, sober, and feeling much improved after my brief sojourn in the psychic air of Boston — and vicinity. It seemed like a drop from the sky to come down to the common-place people of New York. Mrs. Deane will appreciate my feelings.

In my Synopsis, you will find *C. aperta*, *dimericata* on p. 86. It is now *C. variabilis* Bailey.

I should not bind the Lloyd list with the Carey papers.

I enjoyed my short stay with you very greatly, and am much indebted to you for it — and for your invitation for the future. Wish you might both visit us.

Yours ever,

L. H. Bailey

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Ithaca, N. Y., Feb. 14 1894

Dear Deane:

The plants and photo are at-  
hand. Many Thanks.

I believe that you have  
Wittstein. If so, please tell me

the derivation of Eucnide and

Godetia.

Yours truly

L. H. Bailey

*C. Antoniana* = *C. grandifolia*  
v. *maxima*.

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*C. Leavenworthii* = *C. cephal-*  
*ophora* v. *angustifolia*.

Both are explained in the  
forthcoming part of Coulter's  
Flora of N. Texas.

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Ithaca, N. Y.,

Feb 17

1894.

Snow very deep here.  
Sent off 239 lb. of  
F. F. & G. Botany to-  
day to publishers. B-  
gins to look like business  
now.

L. H. B.

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Ithaca, N. Y., Feb. 27 1894

Dear Deane:

Much obliged for your  
help on the names.

I am getting to be very  
much interested in carices  
as greenhouse plants. I  
have about 30 species now  
growing in my houses, some  
of them variegated. C. mon-  
tana of Europe has been in  
bloom several weeks,  
and C. Fraseri is now  
sending up its curious  
flower spikes.

Keller has sent me  
that strange Carey. I

think I shall call it - C.  
grandis var. Helleri.

Astor No. 100 - Andrieux  
and a Solidago or two are  
now in bloom in the houses,  
and the early coming buds of  
Lepatica are showing  
themselves.

F. H. Bailey



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L. H. BAILEY.

Ithaca, N. Y.,

Apr. 3

1894.

Dear Deane: Green roses now and then  
appear. Monstrosities - like green-  
flowered strawberries, etc. Botany going  
slowly. Proofs all read to Hypericum.

A friend in Italy writes me  
about meeting Dr. Kennedy in  
Palermo.

L. H. B.

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Ithaca, N. Y., Apr. 29 1894

My Dear Deane:

I had about Dr. Morong, but I am not surprised. His life looks to an outsider to have been a cheerless one in its later years, but it may have been happier and brighter than we knew. I always have a pang of sadness when I see an old man without home and near friends. But his work will live and the sweet science of botany will always hold him in grateful remembrance. That is his enduring monument.

Your article upon the glass flowers is very direct and interesting, as all your writings are.

We are well. Spring has come!

Yours ever,  
L. H. Bailey

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L. H. BAILEY.

Ithaca, N. Y.,

May 18 1894.

Dear D: Return the Caricels.

F. F. & G. Botany crawls  
along. Have just finished  
reading proofs of Dipsaceae.

You will scarcely know the  
book when I get through  
mussing with it.  
L.H.B.

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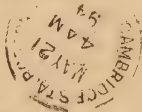
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Ithaca, N. Y.,

May 19 1894.

What does Wittstein say about  
the derivation of Emilia?

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Ithaca, N. Y., June 13 1894

Dear Deane: I have been away  
from home much of  
late and so have neg-  
lected you. I return photos  
by this mail. Your carices  
are *C. rosea* and *C. Staminea*  
*v. mirabilis*.

I have no *Azolla* in  
my herb. from Fresh Pond  
and I have no recollection  
of ever getting it. There  
— and I should have  
remembered such a  
find.

Boiling hot!  
Yours truly, L. H. B.

# Whitcomb House,

East Main St., Rochester, N. Y.

WHITCOMB & DOWNS, Proprietors.

Rochester, N. Y., June 24 1894

Dear Deane:

Don't scold me if I am slow in my correspondence. I am away from home much of the time on a State investigation, and shall be all summer. Your cares came just as I was digging out for the train. I shall be at Bailey's again about Wednesday or Thursday & shall then peek into them. I want, also, to tell you about my farm. Yours, hot,  
L. V. Bailey

L. H. BAILEY, PROFESSOR OF HORTICULTURE.  
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Ithaca, N. Y.,

July 4 1894

Dear Deane:

How art thou on the eve-glorious Fourth? I am at home (!) and yet in two hours I shall be again on the ~~rest~~ wing, chasing scientific ghosts!

I have no *C. Magellanica* mounted from Hermit Lake. From your description, the plants must be *C. Mag-*, but both grow there, and there are puzzling forms which I often think belong to neither one.

If you were to look over the garden acacias in Herb. Gray, I think that you could find the one I was naming that happy day in the Spring of 1883. It will be marked "Ex. char." and the exact date may be on it.

Yes, the caries are *canescens*, *filiformis*  
& *himosa* — the latter an excellent  
find.

Yours, hot,  
L. H. Bailey

Have you published in the  
forth coming list —

*Carex Eggertii* **no!**

" *Tuckermanni* X *Lupulina* **no**

" *monile*, v. *Peasea* = *milicaris*  
v. (?) *aurea*.

**Yes, I think so.**

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What has become of

*Carex Halci*. Dewey? **Remains a  
synonym**

Carey's *Halci* becomes *Louisianica*.

*C. Halci* Dewey = *C. crass-conv.*

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Is *Carex stenolepis*, Less. a  
foreign species, not in this  
country? **Yes, Norway**

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Cambridge, Mass. W. Deane  
June 25-1894.

I don't suppose you have  
a list of species & varieties  
of *Cary* published by other  
than you - *No.*

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In Coulter's Fl. W. Texas  
p. 478 under *C. Frankii*,

*stenolepis* is spelt

*stenolepsis* - *Yes, error*

Typographical error.

Return this when  
you write *W.D.*



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*Proprietors.*

*Fredonia, N. Y., July 3<sup>rd</sup> 1894*

Dear Deane:

I'm making excavations for a bridge here, a stone was found bearing this inscription:

"Vos est unus aetalis mancipium  
et morio

"5th yr. of Antiism"

Many translations have been made of the Latin, most of them disagreeing. How would you render it? No one seems to know what is meant by Antiism. The age of the road under which the stone was found is im-



Certain, but it was  
made sometime prior  
to 1820. The town has a  
history running back to  
1806, but this stone is  
a mystery.

Yours ever

A. H. Bailey

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Ithaca, N. Y., July 12 1894

Dear Deane:

Home again! Going  
away to-morrow.

Yes, that besty thing is  
Morio, and that makes the  
trouble.

There is no Carex Halei recog-  
nized any more. Deane's  
plant is Cms-cornu, and  
Grey's cannot stand because  
the same name had been  
used before.

Don't know when I shall  
publish my new caricels  
again. Guess I have several.

Grinding on Scrophulariaceae  
in 77 of Botany as I get  
a breath.

Going to AAA Sat  
Brooklyn?

Yours -

S. H. B.

July 4

*C. sterilis* v. *exaltata*

*C. straminea* v. *aperta*

July 5-

*C. albolutea* v. *camulata*

July 6

*C. straminea* v. *aperta*.

Wheat N.Y.

July 12-1894.

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Ithaca, N. Y., July 25 - 1894

Dear Deane:  
Here I am, home again! And  
to stay until the 29th! Your Carex July  
12 is evidently *C. straminea* v. *brevior*.  
You are having an outing still, I hope;  
or are you back at Cambridge?

You have heard of the botanist  
Wagborne - up in Newfoundland, a  
Catholic missionary. Enclosed is a  
tract he sends me.

Yours always,

L. H. B.

# Whitcomb House,

East Main St., Rochester, N. Y.

WHITCOMB & DOWNS, Proprietors.

Rochester, N. Y., July 27 ..... 189 4

Dear Deane:

Arbutus Farm!  
- that is the name of it. I  
told you that I must tell  
you about it. I bought  
it last April - 46 acres.  
It is a wild and beauti-  
ful bit of land lying on  
Cayuga Lake 7 miles from  
the University. Steamers stop  
within 6 rods of it four  
times a day and a railway  
station is a mile and a  
quarter away. Two gorges,  
deep and wild, with cascades,  
run down to the lake, and  
the land rises gradually from

the beach to an elevation of 300 ft. at the rear. A marvellously beautiful country is in sight everywhere — great rolling hills, the blue placid lake, the spires of the University, villages & castles in the dales — they are all mine! And all the wild plants of the country grow in my gorges and copses.

It is an old neglected farm. There is a farm house and barn on the highway back from the lake. Here I shall place a tenant. And on the lake-bank, amongst the wild growth, I shall build me a stone cottage



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Rochester, N. Y.,

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— next spring, I hope. Here I shall have a retreat and a summer home; and I hope that I may be allowed to spend my declining years there in free and easy contentment. I have already begun an herbarium of the farm — taking nothing which grows outside the limits of my own narrow estate.

What shall I raise? At present I am raising Cain! But I shall get a good family on the place soon. I shall plant so

acres of orchards this fall  
and more next year, —  
peaches, nectarines, apricots,  
pears, apples, and a  
general collection of all  
fruits which will make  
our old age and our  
children peaceful and  
happy. And when I  
get the cottage done,  
you and Mrs. D. must  
come and see us and  
enjoy the beautiful lake  
and the picturesque  
landscapes!

Yours ever,

F. V. Bailey

Rochester City Hospital.

Rochester, N. Y., Aug. 4 1894

My Dear Deane:

Here I am again in the Hospital! If you were to see me you would not recognize me.

Wark got a little slack and I consulted with my wife what I had better do to amuse myself, and I hit upon a surgical operation! You know that I have had two operations midway, but one can never be systematic by beginning at his middle. So I decided to begin at the top end and work down gradually. You know that my nose was always crooked - broken

twice in my giddy boyhood,  
and further deflected by  
smelling about the corners  
of pies. It has bothered me  
much of late, for it seemed  
to be growing up. Last Mon-  
day I had an abnormal  
growth of bone dug out-  
from behind my eyes, and  
yesterday I had the old pro-  
fessor smash and straight-  
ened. The bone was crushed  
and some of it removed, my  
right cheek was slit, and  
the upper lip and nose were  
shoved over where they be-  
long. I was  $3\frac{1}{2}$  hours under  
the influence of ether. To-day  
I am a beauty.

We must take all  
these good things as they  
come or we can't get 'em.

Rochester City Hospital.

Rochester, N. Y. .... 189

Some poor fellows wale  
through life without a  
single surgical operation,  
while I have had four  
good ones already. Surely  
I am a happy man!

Mrs. Bailey, poor girl! is  
at home worried to death.  
She could not get up grit-  
enough to come with me,  
so I came alone and en-  
gaged my quarters and had  
all the fun to myself. How  
much longer I am to stay  
I can't tell, but probably a  
week or one.

I pity you, - off in

the mountains or some-  
where, with no beef-tea,  
no white-capped nurse, no  
purplistic nose, and none  
of the other joys and amen-  
ities of life!

I must now receive the  
surgeon, so good bye, old  
man!

Yours, with a straight nose,  
L. H. Bailey

City Hospital,

Rochester Aug. 8  
1844

My Dear Deane:

Here I am still! And your letter, which I have just read, is so fresh with the breath of the mountains that I am refreshed and encouraged. I can see the fleecy clouds as they lie over the dark ravines and lift their heads about the tops of the rocks; and I think that I am invigorated by the rare and crisp air that lies so near the gates of heaven.

I have had it in my heart to write you in the meantime, but it has seemed that I might not be in a condition to cheer you, and so I forebore. Yes, the days have been full of suffering and the long hours of the night, with no sleep and no rest. Love cast their shadows far into the daylight I write



three letters that day, - one to the wife,  
one to my dear old father, and one  
to you. I had telegraphed my wife

twice and she was aware of my condition.  
But I had told my father nothing about  
it - for I knew that he would be much  
disturbed if he knew what was com-  
ing. Yesterday I heard from him, and  
there was such an undertone of sad-  
ness in it - that it affected me deeply.  
So I wrote him yesterday in my  
sinniest vein, and I hope that it will  
cheer his heart. I told him that I  
was going home on Friday, and it  
was expected then that I should do so.  
But examination to-day showed that  
I must have another operation to-  
morrow, and I can't tell when I shall  
see home now. There is an abnormal  
growth behind the other eye, deeper  
in than anything I have had  
removed before. It has got to come!  
When one goes fishing for sharks, he  
should not come away with them -

nows; and God helps those who help themselves.

Borrow no anxiety over me, my dear fellow! I am very happy. I detest an ocean voyage, and yet I would gladly cross for one week upon the other side. And when I am all done, I'll be as proud as Beau Damme!

Please give my kindest regards to Mrs. Deane, and tell her that I am now writing

O, for a thousand tongues to shout  
The praises of a new-fixed snout!

Yours, not always thus.

L. F. Bailey

Better address me  
at Thane.

Hospitals, Aug. 1. '94

My Dear Deane:

Your card was like a puff of fragrance from another world.

I have been under the Surgeon's knife and saw again to-day, and a piece of the hard bone of the skull was removed. It was the wickedest operation I have had yet. My brain, when all was over, was like a stormy sea, and my poor nerves were shattered. There came the nervous chill and fever, the result of the shock. But I have now had a little rest, and I awake at nightfall with the sparrows chirping in the cornice and the sinking sun sending golden floods of light through the tree-tops. I am very happy, and am glad that I am away from family and friends, for they do not suffer for me. The sweet, calm face of the nurse glides over me, and all the world is hushed and still.

I must not write more. I must  
catch up the ends of the broken  
nerves and hold them steady. For to-  
morrow I am to have another  
operation. I am ready!

Yours ever,  
F. H. Bailey



Hospital, Rochester,  
Aug. 10, 1846

My Dear Anne:

Shake, old fellow! I had  
my appreciating bit of carving done to-day,  
but it really seems to be the last! I have  
tried in every way to find something else to  
write, but neither seems to have run  
out. The swelling externally has nearly  
disappeared, but the internal improve-  
ments are, like the tariff, in a painful con-  
dition. But I shall go home Sunday, or  
Monday at the farthest, and make love all  
over again to my wife; for certainly I am  
not the same individual who signed picture  
gangs in the marriage certificate. That fellow  
I can lick; but the present suitor is far too  
weak to submit to any such impurity.  
I can't write more for the blood is drip-  
ping all over me and my eyes are so much  
covered by bandages that I can scarcely  
see to finish. Yours ever  
L. H. Bailey

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Ithaca, N. Y., Aug 11 1894

Dear Mr. Deane:

Your kind sympathetic letter just arrived. Mr. B. is still in Rochester. I just had a letter from him. He has had four operations, and he is about unscathed. He hopes to be home on Monday. It seems pretty tough for him to be slashed so much.

The trouble this time came from a broken nose in childhood. The growth behind the eye was caused from it. The Doctors here been telling

him for some time that  
to have it broken over  
and set straight would  
benefit his speech, He did  
not have the use of one  
nostril. I so sincerely  
hope this may be the  
last and he may, come  
out all right. He speaks  
next week Thursday to  
6000 people, if he is able.  
How I wish he could be  
persuaded to take a good  
vacation. He will write  
you as soon as he returns.  
With kindest regards to Mrs.  
J. and yourself. and  
thanking you for your great  
interest

Sincerely,

Mrs Bailey.



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*Ithaca, N. Y., Aug. 14 1894*

Dear Deane:

Just a line, old boy,  
to let you know that I  
am at the bat, at the  
old stand! I have never  
felt so much like giving  
up as I have in the past  
few days. I am all im-  
ravelled. But I am  
getting on well. Your kind  
letters and cards are all re-  
ceived, and you know that  
I appreciate them. More  
in a day or two. Got home  
yesterday. Regards to the good wife.  
Yours ever,

L. H. Bailey

Ithaca, N. Y., Aug. 18 1894

My Dear Deane:

I have been loafing all the week and am now feeling like myself again, and in a day or two I shall be doing my full amount of work. I wish that I might have accepted your kind invitation for a sojourn at Monadnock and Jeffrey, but I could not, — there is too much work pressing me. But sometime, perhaps, we can have an outing together. The little lycopod was like a breath from the woods. I don't recognize the little thing from Springfield. You should send it to Underwood. Your letters sent to Rochester and not finding me there, have all been forwarded here, and, of course, I enjoyed them all.

I am no longer an invalid. My

Face is still swollen and it is very  
sore, but the swelling will all be  
gone in a day or two and no one  
would know that I had been in  
the prize ring and came off thrashed.  
To-morrow the family and myself  
will take a ride out to Arbutus  
Farm. It has been nearly three  
weeks since I have seen it, and  
Mrs. B. has never walked over it. Wish  
you and Mrs. D. were going along!

Yours always,  
L. H. Bailey



DIONIS FRANKEL.

EDWARD B. LANSING.

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309 Fulton St.

\* BROOKLYN, N. Y. \*

Aug. 20 1894

My Dear Deane:

I couldn't help  
it. I got tired of loaf-  
ing, and so came down  
to see the botanists. I  
have seen nearly all  
of them and am having  
a good time. You ought  
to attend these meetings.

Yours  
L. H. Bailey

Enjoyed your lecture  
note in last paper.

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Ithaca, N. Y., Aug. 15 1894

Dear Deane:

Back again! I took a little scud down to Atlantic City, and had a good time.

Yes, your carex is *un-  
pinoida* — both of  
them.

That was a sad experience for poor Bebb. Ever since I saw him at Chicago last year, I have had a feeling of great sorrow for his condition. He looked so different from his former self!

Like you, I have taken

to reading novels of late.  
I always enjoy it, but  
rarely find the time. I  
read Elsmere some  
time ago, but have not  
yet attacked Mrs. Ward's  
recent volumes. I am  
now just finishing Fool's  
Errand.

I like Raud's Flora very  
much. It is careful and  
conservative and studiously  
made. I like the formas.

I am now O.K.,  
except pretty sore.

Thine, for keeps,

F. H. Bailey



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Sheldrake

~~Sheldrake~~ N. Y.

Sept. 2 1894

My Dear Deane:

I am here at a  
summer resort over Sunday with  
Mrs. B. and the children. For three  
days I have been driving in  
the beach regions of Niagara  
investigating diseases of the  
trees.

I.F.G! Dear me! It creeps  
along slowly. I am now partly  
done with Amaranthaceae. It  
should have been done before  
this, but I have had no  
end of hindrances.

Yes, I should subscribe  
for the new Systematic Botany.  
All botanists must have

it, whether they agree with  
its nomenclature or not.

I am fairly well, but  
tired.

Goodbye

Yours ever

L. H. Bailey



# Hotel Burns,

M. A. ROBERTS, MANAGER.

WELL PROTECTED WITH IRON FIRE ESCAPES

SYRACUSE, N. Y.

Sept 12 1894

Dear Deane:

I suppose the trouble with the Lombardies of which you speak is the weakness which comes with age. You will notice that the bulletin speaks of the tree being short-lived in our Northern climate.

Drenching rains have ended our long and serious drouth and the face of the country is smiling again. I am travelling much of late — by way of change — and everywhere the landscape shows the baptism of the rains. What a poor thing the old earth would be without greenward and herbage! Yours ever L. H. Bailey

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Ithaca, N. Y., Sept. 17, 1894

Dear Deane:

Home again, but off again before breakfast in the morning. Have 8 or 10 places to make this week. I am now about normal, but the internal wounds are not yet healed and I have to have them burned out occasionally.

I send copies of Bulletins 69 & 70. Don't criticise them too severely, for they were both written while I was lying in the hospital. Yours ever  
L. H. Bailey

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*Ithaca, N. Y., Sept. 23, 1894*

Dear Deane:

Welcome home! I am  
glad that you have had  
such a long and pleasant-  
vacation. I hope that your  
cold is much better by this  
time.

No, I have not. *Leporina*  
from America save a solitary  
mounted specimen. Wish I  
had it for you.

I will send the bulletins  
to Mr. Shute.

*Prunus Besseyi* is a Man-  
nal plant. It has heretofore  
passed as *P. pumila*, although  
Dr. Bessey has long insisted  
that it is distinct. I will

Send you a specimen.

Your Sweet Mary (never  
heard that name before) is  
*Chrysanthemum Balsamita*,  
Linn., var. *tanacetoides*, Boiss.

My wounds are nearly  
healed. They are all internal  
and nobody sees them.

Queer paper that Mt.  
Washington sheet! Sometime  
I must see the top of the  
grand old mountain.

Ever thine,

F. V. Bailey

Ithaca, N. Y., Oct. 4

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Dear Deane;

Canton Carex = *C. himosa*.

July 22 } = *C. scoparia* v. *minor*.  
July 23 }

No, I have had no more appendicitis. I meant  
to say nothing about my latest privilege, or  
Brooklyn, but someone started a report about  
another appendicitis operation, which I neither  
confirmed nor denied.

Everything is on the lump again. It  
seems strange to have something to do.  
I am going off for two or three days for a  
change and rest.

Yours,  
L. H. Bailey



Ithaca, N. Y., Oct. 15, 1894

Dear Deane:

I have hastily run over the blue-prints and set my impressions on the back. She should preserve specimens of the things the photographs, if she wants them identified. I return them - also the two plants. The maple leaf is *Acer platanoides*. The leaves very greatly in lobing. The other is the Japanese *Ampelopsis heterophylla*.

I am now on the orchids in F. F. & G. botany. Shall finish in a month.

Yours truly

L. H. Bailey

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*Ithaca, N. Y., Oct. 22 1894*

My Dear Deane:

Yes, those were good  
finds which Dr. Robinson  
got in Newfoundland,  
judging from the ones  
which he sent me. Amongst  
them was *C. milian's* var.  
*aurea*, which I am  
now convinced is a  
good species. I shall  
so describe it - sometime,  
although I have not  
yet decided upon a name  
for it.

I suppose that you  
have read of Dr. Cook's

unfortunate Green-  
land expedition of this  
Summer. Your humble  
servant missed going  
on it - only by a  
hair's breadth. I have  
the wildest desire to  
go to Greenland!

I am now planting  
orchards at Arbutus!

Yours ever,  
F. V. Bailey

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L. H. BAILEY.

Ithaca, N. Y., Oct. 27 1894.

Dear Deane: Yes, I suppose the  
Death Valley list - I should go in, al-  
though it - don't amount to much.  
I don't recall anything else. There  
is no place to find about Cook's  
Expedition, except what has appeared  
in the newspapers. Still planting  
orchards on Arbutus. L. H. Bailey

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Ithaca, N. Y., Nov. 17 1894

Dear Deane:

Shake, old fellow! F. F. & G. is  
done! 

I like the Mt. Desert Flora very  
much, and I cannot sympathize with  
the criticism of the Gazette.

L. H. B.

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L. H. BAILEY.

Ithaca, N. Y., Nov. 25 - 1894.

Dear Deane: I have read 430 pp.  
of proof of F. F. & G. botany. The  
Completed book will be 500 to  
525 pp. I should receive most  
all the remainder this week.  
Must now write Annals & revise  
Rule Book.  
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Ithaca, N. Y.;

Dec. 4 1894.

Dear Deane;

Much obliged for your  
kind invitation. I have two more  
books on my hands and can't stop  
now. I shall call on you late in  
Feb. when I give another lecture  
in Boston.

Yours -  
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Ithaca, N. Y., Dec. 8 1894.

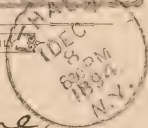
Durand is fellow in botany  
here, and an excellent student,  
I ought to have some of  
that Semina, too

L. H. B.

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Ithaca, Dec. 13<sup>th</sup> '94

My Dear Deane:

Ever so much obliged  
for the Fernna. It is a great  
opportunity for botanists to  
get the plant.

Why not send your photo.  
to Gazette or Bulletin, with notes,  
for publication!

Yours ever  
D. W. Bailey

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Ithaca, N. Y., Dec. 23-1894

My Dear Deane:

Merry Christmas! to you and

yours!

I send you by express a little German book which I ran across in Stechert's in New York the other day. Although made for beginners, it interested me and I thought it would interest you. I also enclose the two volumes of our last State Forestry report. You will be interested in vol. 1, and I thought - that you might not be in the way of getting them yourself.

I have all of Trelease's Azorean Caricels to name; also a batch of Mexican things from Pringle.



Our youngest child, Ethel, has been  
sickened with very severe ton-  
sillitis and we have been very  
anxious; but she is better now,  
and we think is past the critical  
point.

Yours ever,  
F. H. Bailey

Ithaca, N. Y., X mas 1894

Dear Deane: We had a christmas tree  
this morning and one of the pleasant-  
things was Riverly from you, old  
fellow! Mrs. Bailey had taken it  
out of the mail and had put it  
on the tree. Good! See the  
Burrongs Treasures I have -  
Fresh Fields, Locusts and Wild Honey,  
Winter Sunshine, Peppercorn, Wake  
Robin, and Riverly - and all but  
wake Robin from you! You have  
my best thanks.

Ethel is now better, and I go  
off this afternoon to Chautauque Co.  
Yours always  
L. H. Bailey



# HOTEL RICHARDSON.

A. B. RICHARDSON, PROPRIETOR.

Dover, Del.,

Jan. 10 1893-

My Dear Deane: I cannot  
see that Carex Peckii has  
sufficient merits to enable  
it to stand. Dr. Peck sent  
me specimens some time ago,  
and asked me to express an  
opinion upon them. But I  
have not yet had time to  
examine them critically. When  
I do, I shall let you know  
my mind. Y

Yours ever  
L. S. Bailey

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Ithaca, N. Y., Jan. 22 1895

My Dear Deane;

I could not resist your graceful invitation even were I inclined to do so, - which, I assure you, I am not. I will come. Thank you. I expect to be in the vicinity - Three or four days, but two or three

Others have urged me to stay with  
them - and I must spend some  
time with each one if I can.  
Wading-deep with work; but it is all  
pushing on.

Yours ever  
J. H. Bailey

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L. H. BAILEY.

Ithaca, N. Y., Feb. 1 1895

Dear Deane;

Much obliged for the  
except. Have read it all. Good!

A few people make speci-  
mens which mean so  
much as yours;

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Ithaca, N. Y., Feb. 14 1895-

Dear Deane: I can't tell positively when  
I shall Congregate at the Hub, but I  
expect next Wednesday afternoon. If  
I change my mind, I'll let you  
know.

Yours  
L. H. B.

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Ithaca, N. Y., Feb. 17 1895-

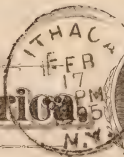
Dear Deane: All right. I will come prepared for Saturday night, altho' I had expected to return Saturday evening. I will stay over till Sunday morning. Yours ever

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Ithaca, N. Y., Feb. 25 1895

Dear Mr & Mrs. Deane:

I got home in good condition, but I found Mrs. Bailey just able to sit up, and she has been in bed two days! The doctor says that it is grip, with a tendency towards pneumonia. He ought to have sent for me, but she did not want to spoil my visit. He is always more thoughtful

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of me than of herself. <sup>Ithaca, N. Y.,</sup> But I hope that she <sup>189</sup> will be alright in a day or two.

I cannot tell you how grateful I am to both of you for your many and repeated kindnesses. My last visit has been my best, and I thank you for it most heartily. When I told Mrs. B. about it, she said her

only regret was that we never have  
the opportunity to return your  
kindness. But I hope we shall some-  
time.

Yours most cordially,  
J. N. Bailey

The plants came  
through in excellent  
condition.

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Ithaca, N. Y., Feb. 26 1895

Dear Deane:

*Tradescantia crassula*, Link. Brazil,

*Oxalis corniculata* v. *rubra*. Eur.

These are the plants which I brought home.  
Mrs. B. is better. She will come down to  
dinner to-day, I hope.

Botanics have not come yet.

Yours Truly

L. H. Bailey



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Ithaca, N. Y., Nov. 3 1895-

My Dear Deane:

Mrs Bailey is improving, although she is not able to sit up all the time. She will be alright in a few days.

I scarcely think it necessary for you to enter *Carex bipartita* in your list, because that is a European synonym and was never used in this Country. The plant occurs in the Alps and was first named *Carex bipartita*.

Yours -  
L. H. B.

Ithaca, N. Y., Dec. 10 1895-

Dear Deane: I am very glad that you  
continue to be interested in the botany.  
I took the greatest pains with that  
pesky index and I would have taken  
oaths that nothing had been omitted;  
but when I looked for *Rhodanthe*  
it was not there! Enter it for p. 242.  
If you find any omissions, please  
let me know them.

My lecture will be printed  
by the Hort. Soc'y in full; but that will  
not be before next summer. A full  
abstract will shortly appear in  
*American Naturalist*.

Mrs. Bailey's grip has  
settled in the frontal sinus, back  
of the left eye, and she is

Having a bad time. If she  
don't get relief, she will have  
to undergo a surgical operation.

Regards to Mrs. D.

Yours ever,  
L. H. Bailey

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Ithaca, N. Y., ..... Mch. 19 1895-

*Carex grandis* var. *Helleri* n. var.  
You have a sheet of it-

Mrs. B. is now about over  
her trouble.

Snow most gone.

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Ithaca, N. Y., Mch. 31<sup>1895</sup> -

My Dear Deane: I am glad that the *Carex*  
found a welcome place in your  
Collection. During the past week,  
I have arranged all my unmount-  
ed Collection of *Carex*, and can now  
tell at once if I have any speci-  
men which you may want. So  
send me a revised desiderata list.

Have Churchill send on his plants  
at any time. I have been looking up  
Trelease's Azorean *Carex*. They are  
very interesting, and much unlike  
ours. I am making some notes for  
publication, and probably I shall  
then go over C. Peckii. The plant is  
undoubtedly a good species; the hitch  
is, what name it should bear.

I never heard of that Columbia College  
Contribution! I shall have to ask  
you what I have written, after this.  
I shall drive to Arboretum Farm in  
the morning. Wish you were  
going!

Yours always,  
J. H. Bailey

Young Inertis,  
the bird artist,  
is in Washington  
with Dr. Cones, this  
week.



Ithaca, N. Y., Apr. 2 1895-

Dear Deane:

"Folia plana angusta acuta, digitum longa, caules longiores". Which is the longer, stem or leaves? I read it that the leaves are.

I had a long dispute with L. H. Bailey about *Erica* going into the F. F. H. botany, but I won the day and left it out. The argument I used to convince him is that the plants, in America, are grown by collectors and wealthy amateurs, and not by florists to any extent.

Do you know where there is much of *Carex laxiculmis* growing? I want to get a lot of live roots — 50 clumps, entire! If I can find a few places where a number of

Clumps can be dug, I will hire some-  
one to get them and ship them to me.

Yours &c

L. V. Bailey

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*C. h. h. ?*  
*E. H. Bailey*  
*Apr. 30*  
*9 miles*

Ithaca, N. Y.,

Apr. 5 1895-

Dear Deane:

"Mighty interesting" as they say in Indiana, are these Virginia things of Churchill's. He has *C. halei*, which has no business in the Manual region. The station ought to be destroyed! And he has another thing, which I never saw before, and I don't know what it is. I have retained the specimen. I wonder if he has more of it? I enclose his original ticket. If it came from west of the Mississippi I should call it a new species right off, but I am afraid that it is some unnecessary hybrid with *C. gracillima*, although

I cannot for the life of me  
guess what the other parent-  
may be. He ought not to  
go into such provoking terri-  
tory again!

Specimens returned.

Yours - L. H. Bailey

No charge on that package.  
Express goes free out here!  
Do you want that curious  
Cares of Churchill's back?  
If so, will send it -.

Hope you will have a  
good time in Wash<sup>n</sup>

Thaga

Apr. 10.

L. N. B.

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THE  
EL DORADO,



ON THE NIAGARA RIVER.

Youngstown, N. Y., *May 1* 1895-

Dear Deane:  
Your various  
notes have been received,  
but I have been so  
busy so much that I  
have had no time to  
reply. I am sorry that  
Dr. Robinson and yourself  
are disappointed with  
my attitude on the  
nomenclature question.  
I believe in the rules that  
Dr. R. has, and I dislike  
the methods of the  
Britton School, as I  
have told you.



of the chief criticisms  
which is made against  
the new rules is that they  
were made by a few per-  
sons who do not ac-  
curately represent the entire  
body of American Cat-  
holicists. The opponents of  
those rules declare, justly,  
that the matter should  
have been more de-  
liberately considered in  
more representative  
bodies. How can we,  
therefore, justify ourselves  
if we sign rules which  
are made without even  
an attempt at repre-  
sentation or discussion in  
open assembly? I am per-  
fectly willing to say



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THE

# EL DORADO,



ON THE NIAGARA RIVER.

Youngstown, N. Y., ..... 189

That the rules, articles,  
the principles, embodied in  
Dr. Robinson's Rules enter  
my sentiments, but I  
can't become one, spare  
number, to subscribe to /  
a code until it has been  
brought + publicly undac-  
tively before the friends  
of America in the work.  
I shall write Dr. Robinson  
to-night saying that be-  
cause my name as a sym-  
pathizer with his move-  
ment.

Are improving of your  
self. Mr. H. is, now an-  
tish some again, and I  
have no time to be other-  
wise. You must have  
had a delightful time in  
Washington.

I suppose that I shall  
not dare to visit you  
again, since that note  
in Gazette about your  
herbarium, and its re-  
publication in Science!  
I can't touch you with a  
ten-foot pole any more!  
But it is all deserved, my  
dear fellow, and I am  
glad that your painstaking  
work is receiving pub-  
lic recognition. Your  
Gazette notes are good.



FRANK C. STEELE,  
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**EL DORADO,**



ON THE NIAGARA RIVER.

Youngstown, N. Y., ..... 189

You see that you sent  
me a bottle of C. Digitalis.  
I never receive it - nor  
any note about it.

Beautiful, warm  
place to be on the Niagara,  
where the great river runs  
towards Ontario. From my  
window I see miles over  
the green shimmering  
water with its brown  
fleets of fishing smacks.

Yours even,  
+ F. Bailey

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May 16 1895

Dear Deane: I should call it Anis  
permila.  
P.M.  
Yours, on the jump  
L. H. Bailey

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My Dear Deane:

I find now and then specimens of *Carex digitalis* with long-peduncled terminal spikes. It is an exception which should, no doubt, be noted. Yes, I regard *C. styloflexa* Buckley, to be specifically distinct, but kept it - a variety in naming the plants because it is so in the Manual.

*Carex Torreyi* and *C. Austro-Caro.*

liniana in fine fruit - in my back  
yard!

off again to-morrow.

Yours +  
J. H. Bailey



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*Good for you!*



# Whitcomb House,

East Main St., Rochester, N. Y.

WHITCOMB & DOWNS, Proprietors.

Rochester, N. Y., June 22 1895

My Dear Deane:

I am glad to hear of you again. You are, of course, perfectly welcome to the little book. You have done more for me than I can pay for you. But then, I do not like to measure up favors, hit or miss, with a friend. The friendship, I think, runs counter to what I expect.

I am most anxious to give you a vacation. I had planned to go again this year, but, instead, a very hard summer's work, and I am afraid I cannot



# DELANEY HOUSE,

O. H. WEBB, Proprietor.

\* \* \*

Vevay, Ind., June 14 1893-

Dear Walter:

I find myself to-day strolling about this quiet nook on the Ohio River, wondering if I am in the great bustling world or on the planet Mars. No railroad has yet reached this dreamy place, and one comes and goes on the packet boats as he would have done a half century ago. The great river stretches down amongst the lazy hills, still dividing the north from the south, and the old romance still clings to the sloping banks of the "old Kentucky Shore". I am getting dizzy as I write, and I am now dropping

into a snooze.

Yours forever,

L. H. Bailey

Philadelphia, July 5 1895

My Dear Deane:

I am very glad of Deane. It is deserved, and I congratulate you. I am glad of it, too, because it rightly commemorates the life and work of an amateur. It is not the persons who write learned disquisitions and who are scientists by profession, who necessarily do the most service to science and the world. Along with Bartram, Marshall, Mullerberg, Cakes, and the other amateurs who have graced American botany will go the names of Deane and Bebb and others of the present day. Long in the future, when

you and I, my dear  
fellow, are gathered to our  
fathers, I fancy that I  
can see a traveller  
in Mexico resting at noon  
and, shading his eyes with  
his sombrero, reading

Deanea. (Named in honor of  
Walter Deane, an ardent ama-  
teur botanist of New England,  
famous in his day  
for the excellence of his  
botanical specimens, which  
are now a part of the  
collections of Harvard  
University).

Congratulations!

Yours ever

J. H. Bailey

Ithaca, N. Y.,

July 17 1895-

Dear Deane:

Dear me! There goes my  
index again! Look on p. 98 for your  
Canaryvine.

Your *Ximerocephalus* is *H. flava*. It  
is fruiting heavily in my garden, but  
the other never does.

Poor Akebia! I am losing all  
respect for the book. Yes, punctua-  
tion is wrong. I shall charge half  
of that to Barnes!

What a treasure your aunt-  
must be!

Mrs. Bailey keeps up the record  
of the house. Took her off to a sani-  
tarium yesterday. She has been  
half sick for a month. It breaks



me all up. Her sister is here,  
sick also, and one of the babies  
has been sick. The Bailey family  
likes variety.

Yours, on a gold basis,  
L. H. Bailey.

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Ithaca, N. Y.,

July 28 1893-

Dear Deane:

Mrs. B. came home yesterday.  
She got lonesome. She had a kind of  
a nervous upset.

Are you going to Springfield?  
I want to, but am afraid that I  
cannot. I have too much on  
my hands to enjoy myself.

Write when you can

F. W. B.

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Ithaca, N. Y., Aug. 6 1895-

My Dear Dreane;

Yes, that is right - Li-  
gustrum Japonicum & Hy-  
drangea paniculata.

Mrs. B.'s home and feels  
fairly well. Hope to see you  
at Springfield.

Yours in a hurry  
F. H. B.

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Ithaca, N. Y., Aug. 13 1895-

My Dear Deane:

You must have an inexhaustible mine in those old gardens. I wish that you would make me specimens of some of those things. I return your labels. Another batch came this morning. Will look them over soon.

Mrs. B. is sick abed.

Yours  
L. H. Bailey

(100-100)

Ithaca, N. Y.,

1897

Your smooth fruit must have been  
nectarine.

I expect to arrive in Springfield on  
the 29th, and stay till Saturday or  
Sunday.

No, I had no intention of inserting  
all authorities in my list on  
p. 29, but simply those "most  
frequently cited". I shall change  
3' to 3°, as you suggest.

You don't say what inflorescence  
your lilaceous plant has, and there-  
fore I can't tell what it may be.  
Looks like *Galtonia candicans* (under  
*Hyacinthus*)

Wm. B. Sprague - 1864

Ithaca, N. Y., Aug. 14 1895

Dear Deane:

Enclosed find my notes on your things. I don't remember Mr. Heath, but I no doubt wrote him.

I have been amused to read several reviews of F. F. G. Botany in which it was said that the book was a complete flora of our cultivated plants, — a similar expressions; which only shows that the reviewer didn't know anything about it, for it doesn't include a fourth of the cultivated things.

Mrs. B. is some better.

Yours,  
L. H. Bailey



Ithaca, N. Y., Aug. 18 1895 -

My Dear Deane:

I arrived home late last night and found Your letters, and many others. I have not read them yet, for I have had my hands more than full. I found Mrs. B. in bad shape.

This morning we got two surgeons, gave her ether and they performed an operation for a uterine trouble. They left me whilst she was still unconscious, and I have been alone trying to bring her back and make her comfortable. She is now nearly herself again and I am getting a breathing spell. I hope now that we

have got at the root of the  
trouble and that she will  
mend. I expect help to-night  
to make her comfortable.

The Bailey family believes  
in being cut up; and I am  
most ready to enter the  
surgical profession.

Yours, tired out,  
L. H. Bailey

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Ithaca, N. Y., Sept. 16 1895.

Dear Deane:

Can't you get me some  
clusters of wild *Vitis Labrusca*?  
I want some to photograph. Mrs.  
B. improves slowly. House grows!  
and pocket-book diminishes!

L. H. Bailey

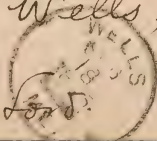
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Wells, Maine,  
with  
Mrs. G. C. Ford.



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Ithaca, N. Y., Sept. 11 1895.

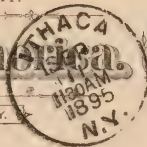
Dear Deane: Good for Deane!  
It is a beauty.  
Mrs. B continues to improve.  
I begin to build my stone  
house to-morrow. You must  
come to see me next year.  
Beautiful days.

F. H. B.

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Jaffrey, N.H.

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Ithaca, N. Y., Oct. 3 1895.

Dear Deane;

Sorry you have had so  
much trouble with the grapes.  
Don't bother any more about them.  
All well.

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Ithaca, N. Y., Sept 6, 1895

Dear Deane:

That poem is the result of house-cleaning. In turning my room upside down, Mrs. Bailey dumped a lot of stuff on my table and amongst it was a rough scrawl of this poem. I had written it whilst on a voyage from New York to Norfolk some years ago, and had forgotten it. So I copied it for you, and you are the only one who knows of it. I have several others stuffed away which no soul has ever seen.

In Canada Kohl rabi is fairly common, but I seldom see it here. Must be obliged for Hansen's address.

Delicious days these! How I wish you and I might roam together over these great hills!

Yours truly

L. H. Bailey

Bingham House

Philadelphia, Oct. 9 1895-

Dear Deane: When I reach home to-morrow, I shall expect to find your parcel of plants, and I know that they will make me happy. I am here to attend a meeting of the American Dahlia Society, of which I am a member, and, incidentally, to get together a stock of varieties for testing at Cornell. I have already been promised tubers, of 1000, named "Kings." The dahlia is my next exploit.

I am just now going out to old John Bartram's garden. Wish you were here!

A. F. Bailey

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Ithaca, N. Y., Oct. 15 1895

My Dear Deane:

The parcel of plants is at hand, and I am ever so glad of the specimens. The garden things are interesting, and I will have them mounted in a few days. The carices I will soon look over.

1. Don't know, unless it be *Ulmus Campestris*.  
It is not a morus.
2. Red spider, I suppose. See Rule-Book, p. 40.  
Water will kill him.
3. Aster-worm. Rule-Book, p. 22

Thine

L. H. Bailey

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Ithaca, N. Y.,

Oct. 20

1895.

Dear Deane:

Much obliged for the photo. I now have 3 different ones of Mr Bull. Your notes on the back are particularly interesting. I had a good time at the street fair. I spoke in a 2-wheeled cart drawn by six oxen, and encircled by two blaring brass bands! I felt like a menagerie.

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Ithaca, N. Y., Oct. 25- 1895-

My Dear Deane:

In one of your letters you asked me for the name of the bean. I did not know what you meant; but in laying out your plants to-morrow, I corrected me that you referred to the Tale bean grown by the Swiss family. It is *Vicia Faba* (or *Faba vulgaris*), the bean of history. Our bean is called in Europe, French Bean, Kidney Bean and Haricot to distinguish it from this. This *Vicia Faba* is known as Horse, Broad and Windsor Bean. We grew about a dozen varieties of it this year, but it is rarely seen in America.

Glorious weather.

Yours truly,  
L. H. Bailey

# • THE ARLINGTON, •

H. C. ORR, PROPRIETOR.

Buffalo, N. Y. Oct. 30 1895-

Dear Deane:

I stop here over night on my way to Jamestown to hold the Horticultural School. Jamestown is a city on Chautauque Lake of nearly 20,000 folks.

Bartram began his botanic garden in 1728. Linnæus called him the greatest natural botanist in the world. The old place is now owned by Philadelphia as a part of its park system, and it is kept in its original condition. Look at Darlington's Biography of Bartram and Marshall at the Gardens.

Yours ever

L. H. Bailey

Your garden plants are all mounted and distributed.



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Hart. School a big thing! Set  
out the public schools in a  
city of 20,000!

Ithaca, N. Y., Nov. 70

1895-

My Dear Deane!

Well! Well! How things do  
turn themselves about! I had thought  
of you as an indelible part of that school.  
But of course health is everything, and  
nothing must stand in its way. I  
judge that you are gaining, by the tone  
of your letters. I did not even know  
that you had been unwell.

Your ears certainly looks  
strange for var. decora, and yet  
I can't make it seem like C. crinita.

Your New Brunswick plant  
I know nothing of; but if I were to  
look it up I should first go to  
*Ledum palustre* and look for a basal  
shoot. I have a grand show of *Chrys-  
anthemums* now.

Yours truly

L. H. Bailey



Now, when you become connected  
with the Gray Herbarium, things will  
be as they were intended "from the  
foundations of the world."

B.

Kalamazoo House,

O. F. MILLARD, Prop.

Kalamazoo, Mich., Dec 9 1895-

My Dear Deane;

It has been a long time since I have heard from you, and I wonder how you are. Does your health improve now that you are out of school?

You must meet my friend C. F. Wheeler, from Michigan, who is now at Gray Herbarium. You will find him to be an excellent fellow.

I have been away from home about a week on a lecturing trip and am about tired out.

Thine ever

J. H. Bailey

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Ithaca, N. Y., Dec, 12 1895

Dear Dear:

Poor Bitt! I have been expecting it! - Surely American botany has lost one of its most gracious followers.  
Died in California.

How are you? I am drawn to a  
close; - but such things do not  
trouble you any more!

L.H.B.

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Ithaca, N. Y., Dec. 14 1895-

My Dear Deane:

Dear me! An office in Boston! I  
will take off my hat! Ever so glad that  
you are feeling better.

I am going to ask if you will  
sometime do an errand for me. I want  
to get together the American writings on  
the silkworm & mulberries, particularly of  
the 1825-1839 period. I have written to  
N. J. Bartlett, Cornhill, & to Burnham's,  
Old S. Church, but they have none  
which I have not. There are two or  
three other old shops on Cornhill or near  
by. I enclose a list of my volumes.  
Can you run in sometime & see if they have  
anything I want? I want all the editions  
of each author. If they have anything, let me  
know, with price. Yours ever  
L. H. Bailey

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Ithaca, N. Y., Dec. 16 1895.

There must be someone in  
Worcester who deals in old books.  
Do you know of any body there  
to enquire of? If I had the address  
of dealers there, I would send on my  
desiderata.  
Send Dr. Swan's sedges back to-day.

L. H. B.

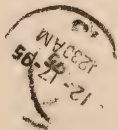
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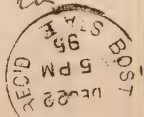
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Ithaca, N. Y., Dec. 21 1895.

Ever so much obliged for looking  
up the books. I had already  
written Fisher at Springfield. I  
got some interesting things in  
Phil. a day or two ago.

A. H. B.



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Ithaca, N. Y.,

Xmas, 1895-

Dear Deane:

Yours came last night. Yes, surely, the will is better than gifts, and I am glad that you wrote just as you did. I am ever so glad to know that you feel well and that you are enjoying your freedom.

You may be interested to know that the little book which I sent you is the only one I ever saw! It is an advance copy, and I have none myself! But I will have them in a few days.

Merry Xmas & happy New Year to you & Mrs. D!

Yours ever  
L. H. Bailey

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Ithaca, N. Y., Jan 6. 1896

Dear Deane:

I could not name the bug  
which you mentioned.

The shape & color of spike & size of  
perigynium are important  
features in *Scoparia* v. *minor*. But  
I am not at all sure that my naming  
of your plants is just. I am going to  
revise the species shortly. L. H. Bailey

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Ithaca, N. Y., Jan. 23 1896

Dear Deane:

Rosa Manetti is an Italian rose  
of unknown origin, much used as stocks  
upon which to bud garden roses. I  
have always thought it to be an off-  
shoot of Rosa Canina, but am not  
sure of it. You had better list it as

Rosa Manetti, Hort.

L. H. Bailey

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Ithaca, N. Y.,

Jan. 27 1896

Dear Deane:

*Funkia lancifolia* Sprengel, is  
a good species, but rather  
uncommon in gardens. It is  
Japanese. All ok.

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Jan. 28 1896

Dear Deane:

No. 752 is an error. Don't know how  
it ever came. Should be *C. areolata* ~~Castanea~~.  
774. O.K. is the old *Chondorhiza*. You  
must have got your number wrong.  
822 is the *C. glareosa ursina* business.  
1007 I have discussed in my paper. I  
don't like it.

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Ithaca, N. Y., Jan. 30 1896

*C. Atlantica* grows in bogs,

*C. interior* v. *capillacea* in dryish bogs.

*C. sterilis* v. *excelsior*.

*C. sterilis* B. Boott Ill. 56, t. 146\*

*C. interior* v. *capillacea* no synonym.

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Ithaca, N. Y., Feb. 8 1896

Britton inserted "Linn. f." for  
Chardorhiza. I don't know  
which is correct.

My latest on the hybrid is  
*C. arctata* x *costarica*. See Manual,  
p. 603. All well.

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Ithaca, N. Y.,      Mch. 8      1896

Dear Deane:

How are you? Yours of a week ago  
came in due season, but I have been in New  
York and Brooklyn + just got home this morning.  
Your sketch of Bebb is the best thing you have  
written. There is much of Bebb's personality in it. It  
is most excellent.

I am doing nothing at the house (or at any-  
thing else, for that matter). The walls were finished and  
the roof put on last fall. I have not been there

for two or three months. As soon as Spring  
opens, I shall finish it off, getting it ready  
for a visit from you and Mrs. D. in July.

Yours sincerely

J. W. Bailey

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Ithaca, N. Y., Feb. 9 1896

My Dear Deane:

The plate shows C. albicans to have shorter leaves than the other, with the staminate spike less distinct. Considering the whole head, pistillate & staminate spikes, I think it may be fairly said to be more glomerate than the other. But there is an illusion in the plate from the fact that the larger spikes of C. varia press together in drying; and the photograph was made from a dried specimen.

If Fernald has published his hybrid, then it must surely stand, with two such admirable people on top of it! You can't hurt a carp.

I shall be tickled to see your Park flora. I am sure that it will be a model.

Yours truly  
L. H. Bailey

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Ithaca, N. Y.,

Apr 9

1896.

Dear Beane:

Yes, there is a white  
Muscari botryoides, and your  
plant is probably it. Off  
for N.Y. to-morrow.

L. H. B.



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Bingham House

Philadelphia,

May 1

1896

My Dear Deane:

My dear old fellow,  
How are you! How  
many days have come  
and gone since we  
have used the mails! I am  
sure that it is all un-  
intended. You are busy,  
and I — yes, I am,  
busy, too. The duties  
increase with the  
years. I have never  
been so overwhelmed  
as I have in the last  
few months. But to-  
night — as the clock  
strikes 11 — a great  
burden is off my  
mind; for now I  
am delivered of my  
part in a triangular  
debate on Evolution  
before the American

Philosophical Society, a  
society of exclusive per-  
sons which was founded  
by Franklin. It was an  
event for me, a mere  
youngster, and an honor  
which I little merit.

Drop me a line &  
tell me that you and  
yours are well and  
happy. I shall go  
home to-morrow night  
to find myself overwhelmed  
with mail and work. But  
I shall have a respite  
to-morrow.

Thine ever,  
L. W. Bailey

Good Sample Room.

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and highest (in the best  
sense of the word) piece  
of land in the beautiful  
town of Chelsea, where the  
first London Metropolitan  
Road is now a fine wide  
road of the Metropolitan Road.  
The College itself is the old  
house of a distinguished  
for centuries.

It is a fine old house of  
18th. It is a fine old  
house of 18th. It is a fine  
old house of 18th. It is a  
fine old house of 18th.

Chas. Day



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THE ASTOR HOUSE OF CHICAGO

COR. LAKE AND DEARBORN STREETS

Chicago, June 11 1896

My Dear Lane:

The Park Flora  
came a few days ago, but  
I have been so steadily  
at every place but at  
home that I have had  
no time to examine it. I  
am much pleased with its  
appearance and I know  
that I shall be delighted  
when I look it over.

Jackson Park has  
undergone a most mar-  
vellous transformation. The  
old building, German  
and Japanese buildings are  
standing. If it were not  
for them, all the families

landmarks of the great Fair  
would be gone. The great  
Goddess of liberty still  
holds her gilded torch, but  
she is now standing in a  
shiftless sea of sand. All  
that dream of loveliness is  
vanished, and it is  
more of a dream to me  
now than it ever was  
before. But the memory  
of it - will inspire me till  
the end of my days!

Thine  
L. H. Bailey





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BUFFALO,

June 18 1896.

My Dear Deane;

Strange about  
the *Hemerocallis*. I have  
examined my herbarium  
material again and find  
the segments very acute.  
I wonder if you really  
have H. flava?

Your Park Flora is  
excellent. I have not  
had time to examine it  
carefully, but have gone far  
enough to see that you have  
done a good job.

Yours ever,

L. H. Bailey



# NEW OSBURN HOUSE



Rochester, N.Y. July 7 1896

Dear Deane,

I have shamefully neglected those caries. But I could not help it. I am away so much that I barely have time to keep my correspondence in shape. Now I have been finishing up my store house. On Thursday, we expect to move to it for the summer.

I want a drawing of a chestogamous flower of some plant. I am wondering if the season of Dalibarda is

passer? If you come across  
any of it with both kinds  
of flowers (or of any viola  
either) will you not send  
some of it fresh in a little  
box to my artist, Prof.  
W. S. Holdsworth, Agricul-  
tural College P.O., Michigan?  
I shall be ever so much  
obliged if you will.

Happy Summer to you!

Yours ever,

F. H. Bailey

# NEW OSBURN HOUSE



Rochester, N.Y. July 9 1896

Dear Deane:

Your little plant is Pilea muscosa. It is called "Artillery plant" because the pollen shoots out when the anthers open.

1. The troublesome C. tribuloides var. reducta. I don't know what to do with this pernicious Carex. I am sometimes tempted to banish it by making it a species.
2. I suppose a depauperate form of Willdenow's C. foenea.

Sent wife + babies off to  
a summer hotel to-day  
for a few days, until we  
can settle things in the  
stone house on the farm.  
Shall move into that  
house next week! Wish  
you were to be there!

Yours, for a gold basis,

J. N. Bailey

Ithaca, N. Y.,

July 23 1896

My Dear Deane:

Much obliged for the deli-  
barda. I have not yet heard how  
it reached its destination, but I  
am sure that it got there alright.

Yes, I am writing this in the  
stone retreat, with the white-  
caps rolling on Lake Cayuga in  
front of me. It is a wild and  
romantic spot, and I am sure  
that we shall grow to love it  
dearly as the years pass on.

You are at Joffrey. I wish  
you were here. But I hope that  
you will have a happy summer.

My regards to Mrs. D. She may rest  
assured that I have not forgotten her, but it  
is embarrassing to send messages to her in a  
letter to you. Mine ever, L. H. B.

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MICHAEL BARKER, GARDENER.

Ithaca, N. Y.,

July 19 1896

Dear Deane:

Have not had a peep from  
you since you went to Jaffrey. Hope  
you are having a good time.  
Will you get to Buffalo to A.A.A.S?  
Hope so.

I am head over heels doing  
nothing, as usual. Home house  
does well.

Mine, for some money,

L. H. Bailey



# The De Goto,



Savannah, Ga., Aug 1 1896

Watson & Powers, Props.

My Dear Deane:  
I am lost!

The other morning I woke up and found that my own fair Cayuga had taken to itself an ambitious mood, and had grown until all the hills had vanished beyond the horizon. The little steamer in which I had been wont to sail had swelled into a veritable mastodon which plowed and plunged through a trackless deep without sense or purpose. Hour by hour it plunged on, and yet no familiar



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land came to view. Once I sighted a headland, but I was told that people called it - Cape Hatteras. Two nights came and went. The phosphorous light - played on the waves - and the moon shimmered through the broken clouds. It was all strange and weird. Two days and more passed by. We saw the porpoise play about the ship, and the pulsating jelly-fish float in the brine; and now and then a flying-fish, started from its rest, would dart like a thing of glass





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from the blue waves, and  
bury itself in another billow.  
Finally the great ship  
turned in towards land. A  
broad Estuary opened be-  
fore us. Strange trees  
came in view, — curious  
stretches of pines and odd  
scattered groves of palmettos.  
We drifted along between  
green and winding lowlands,  
and came to a city. I went  
ashore. They told me it is  
Savannah in the state of  
Georgia. I thought it was  
in the state of oblivion.  
Mine ever,  
L. H. Bailey

Nelms House,

MRS. M. N. SMITH, Manager.

Griffin, Ga., Aug 5, 1896

My Dear Deane:

For four boiling days  
I have been trying to find  
my way back to my own  
Cayuga, but I have just-  
taken an observation on  
the sun, which is now in  
perihelion with the darkies,  
and find that I am at Griffin,  
in Central Georgia, on the line of  
Sherman's march to the sea,  
and I am still facing south.  
I am beginning to despair of  
ever finding my Cayuga. Even  
the darkies, and the picki-  
ninnies and all the curious  
things, do not satisfy my  
desire for the stone lodge

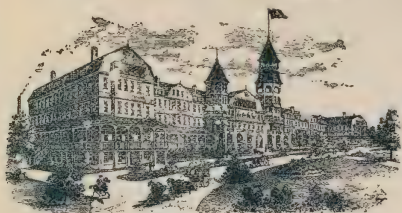
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on the northern hills. But I am most supremely lazy & therefore not unhappy. There is an unozonated passivity in the atmosphere which is as agreeable as an anæsthetic; and as my mind is a Sahara, I am content.

Thine ever,  
L. H. Bailey

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Lookout Mountain, Tenn.,

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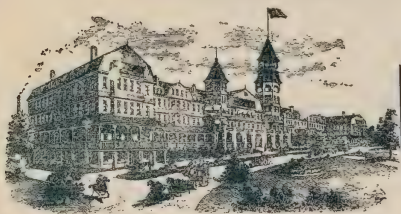
My Dear Deane:

If there is one spot which cannot be over-praised, it is this noble Lookout Mountain. Standing 1700 feet above the city, with the picturesque Tennessee River winding about its base, and panoramas of valleys and mountains in vast extent and of striking grandeur, it is unique in our Eastern scenery. But to all this natural attraction, — which is sufficient to make it famous, — is added the

historic interest - of its position  
in the awful drama of the  
civil war. Now that I  
have followed the line of  
military operations from the  
country of Andersonville to  
the Cumberland Mountains,  
the mighty movements of  
the war have assumed a  
most vivid interest and  
importance to me. I see  
now how great the gener-  
alships must have been,  
upon both sides, in the  
many diverse movements  
and victories in this  
rugged region. Bragg,

"Above the Clouds."

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Returning from his Kentucky  
Campaign, lodged himself  
here. Then began that long  
series of awful battles - which  
culminated in driving the  
Confederates from the Moun-  
tains, and which opened the  
way for Sherman's march from  
Atlanta to the sea. Chicka-  
mauga, Missionary Ridge,  
Kennesaw, Lookout  
Mountain, and all the minor  
engagements in this region,  
make this romantic  
country sacred ground.  
Yours ever  
L. H. Bailey



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Aug. 11 1896

My Dear Deane:

I should have answered your letter before, but the thought of your wandering thro' the woods with so many charming females eager to catch every word which falls from your lips, — and to snap-shot your best posies, — has so completely paralyzed me that I could not respond. Certainly botany is the "amiable science", taking amiable, too, in its best etymological sense. You are to be envied. As for me, my humdrum life goes on, and no fair damsel, 16 or 17 years old, comes when my wife is away to

plead with tearful eyes that  
I unravel all the mysteries  
of monstrops and wood-  
paths. Long may your  
bay tree flourish!

I live, repining,

L. H. Bailey



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Aug. 14 1896

Dear D:  
Doubt if I can help you  
much on the headings, for I file  
all my business letters & need the  
headings for the addresses.

All well

L.H.B.

Jamestown  
N.V.

Aug. 29 1896

Dear Deane:

Just as I was  
skipping a hot day, your  
grapes came. I peeked in  
& saw that they were  
probably Labrusca type, &  
told one of my boys to  
photograph & press them.  
Ever so much obliged.

Why did I go to Georgia?  
Dear me! I had staid at  
home two weeks, almost,  
and I got uneasy. Various  
parties in the South  
have long urged me to go  
and see the country, so  
I just put on my shoes  
and went. That was all.  
Incidentally, I attended

the meeting of the Ga.  
Horticultural Socy, and  
that was the occasion of  
my going at that particu-  
lar time. But I would  
have gone anyway. So I  
really had no reason for  
going. I wanted to go  
somewhere, told the wife  
& babies hallo, and jumped  
on the street car.

Do tell me how  
those sweet girl botanists  
are! I must know.

Thine, for keeps,

F. H. Bailey

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Rochester, N.Y. Aug. 28 1896

My Dear Deane:

I am wondering if *Vitis Labrusca* grows where you are. If so, can't you send me a typical cluster of fruit, to photograph?

Our temperature has taken a great drop, and it even feels frosty tonight.

We quit the Stone House on Monday <sup>next</sup>. We dislike to move back so soon, for we enjoy the place; but I shall be on the road almost constantly during —

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Rochester, N.Y.

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September (being billed for no less than 20 addresses) and Mrs. B. will therefore move in town. We have enjoyed the new old stone house and the carelessness of country life. It leads me to 'moralize' upon the conventionalities of town life & to wonder why one can't always live for comfort. Why should it be "polite" only when you are stiff & uncomfortable? Human beings and society people are queer animals! If

Louise  
J. H. Bailey

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*I deadhead it.*

Sept. 7 1896

My illustrious Friend:

Viburnum Demetronis  
sounds very classical, and  
is very worthy of the two  
August savants who have  
flung it upon a cold and  
silver-hearted world. May  
the brook grow and prosper,  
and shed additional lustre, if  
possible, upon its Godfathers!  
As for myself, I am quietly  
winging my way over the  
tame lowlands of mediocrity;  
but I can at least corres-  
pond with you.

Your letter waited for



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me when I reached the 189  
Bailey Hotel late Saturday night.  
Your account of the maidens  
and the teaching was a mere  
incident in your letter, show-  
ing that it has now come to  
be such a commonplace in  
your life to have such consoling  
experiences that you scarcely  
think of the expectant feelings  
of those poor creatures who  
have never been the inno-  
cent recipients of such se-  
ductive influences. But I  
wish you well, old fellow! No!  
I am not a bit jealous, but I  
know that your wife is ought  
to be.

Yours forever,  
F. H. Bailey

Hellogg House,

C. H. Bateman, Prop.

Somerville, N.Y., Sept. 21. 1896

My Dear Sir:

I cannot address a person who has a continuous escort of two blue-eyed and distrustful bodyguards as anything but "Sir!" He commands my respect and my envious admiration. Under such protection, one may safely venture into the most lonely, and dangerous corner of the wood, where the fringed gentian hangs her bashful lids and where the dainty Calypso



lost her shoe. One may  
even proceed unscared in  
the blissful hours of darkness,  
even without lantern or  
the inquisitive light of the  
moon. One may even  
botanize in the heavens,  
with Andromeda and  
Cassandra, and be all  
unmindful of the things  
that maketh one afraid.

And as for those lone mortals  
who wander and talk  
about buds and common  
things, — they wrap an old  
bed quilt about them  
and lie down on a  
straw tick.

Thine, alone,

L. H. Bailey

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MICHAEL BARKER, GARDENER.

Have not seen Britton's new Flora. Will send  
for it; now that I am home  
again.

Ithaca, N. Y.,

Sept. 29 1896

My Dear Deane:

This will be waiting for you  
upon your return to old Cambridge,  
dear old Cambridge! Welcome home! I hope  
you will bring the maidens with you.  
You would be so lonely without them!  
Term has begun, and over 40 new  
students are in my classes in Evolution  
of Plants, Literature of Horticulture,  
and Greenhouse Construction. Several

of them are graduates of other institutions,  
teachers, and the like. They are interesting  
fellows, and I enjoy them.

My September travelling schools are  
done, but I have some 30 more on  
my hands. But I have a good man  
in charge, and I can give them  
only supervisory care.

Wish you could see our 400 varieties  
of Dahlias, 200 of Cannas and 175 of sweet  
peas. Even your maidens would forget  
their New Hampshire ramble for the  
moment.

Yours for the gold  
standard, R. H. Bailey

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Ithaca, N. Y.,

Oct. 18 1896

My Dear Deane:

I was much grieved  
to hear of the death of Dr Robinson's  
little girl. The affliction seemed  
very near to me, for I admired  
the child. How uncertain we are  
of the morrow!

Yesterday I sent you  
by express the carices which I  
should have returned long ago. I  
trust that I get like and have time to  
name plants, and yet how I en-  
joy it! Sometimes long for the  
time when I may lie the day  
long with the plants and the  
a. t. of doors.

Hope you are both well. My  
little family is well. Thine, L. H. Bailey



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My Dear Deare:

Your note saying that you desired to give the last batch of carices to one of those female friends was a gentle hint that you wanted to consummate the thing at once, so I have returned them. Pray give her my love, — of carices.

I pay 15¢ return charge on your parcels, but you must not pay it. I am glad to name the things and be to the very trifling expense for friendship's sake. So don't

think of paying me.

I am still on  
the wing teaching the rural  
people, and so long as I  
go in new territory, the  
people bear with me!

Yours ever

L. M. B.



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MICHAEL BARKER, GARDENER.

Ithaca, N. Y., Oct. 27 1896

My dear Deane: It is most kind of you to  
give me the *Carex faeneae*. I appreciate  
it, I assure you.

Suppose your young lady grows fuchsia,  
(*Petunia* (from seeds), tulps or *ixias* (from bulbs), *Schiz-*  
*opetalon* & *alyssum* (from seeds). <sup>6 in a pot</sup> <sup>in soil</sup> If she could  
get some bulbs or roots of *oxalis* she would find  
them interesting if she has a bright-sunny  
place. Common bush beans do well  
in winter in a warm window. *Polygoniums*  
are very much mixed and you would not  
be likely to trace the species. Any of the  
forcing bulbs are nice, like *Chionodoxa*, *Crocus*,  
*nerine*, *Lubina* and *scilla*. You will <sup>not like</sup> <sup>in winter</sup> <sup>be</sup> <sup>safe</sup>  
get quickest results from *Schizopetalum*. It needs  
a rather cool place.

Yours always,

L. H. Bailey

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Ithaca, N. Y.,

Nov. 1 1896

Dear Deane:

I don't know who sent me the  
diabolical envelope. The letter has  
some advertisement in and came from  
Bryan's Country, Kansas City.

I had hoped to have my  
revision of it done by to-day, but  
I had a runaway a few days  
ago and have not yet recovered.  
My nerves ran away with me.  
I completely lost hold of the reins for  
two or three hours, and really came  
very near a nervous collapse. So I  
am laying low, but shall get to  
work again quietly in a day or two.

Thine ever,

L. H. Bailey



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Ithaca, N. Y., Nov. 4 1896

My Dear Deane:

You misunderstood my runaway. It was not an equine affair but a nervous affair. My nerves ran away with me. In other words, I came near having a nervous collapse and, for a time, was practically crazy. I recovered in two or three hours, and now feel fairly well. The President heard of it, however, and immediately obtained a leave for me for the rest of the year without my asking it. It was very kind of him and the Trustees. Of course, I shall not go for that length of time; but I am just now dropping out of sight. My satchel is packed and I am going to the station. My plans beyond that point are not determined. I expect to be back in a week; but I shall stay until I feel well, if it's a year. Good bye, old boy! Yours ever,  
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Ithaca, N. Y., Nov. 14 1896

My Dear Deane:

Aha, old fellow! I have bobbed up! I have had a sinker on and have lain in the bottom of oblivion. But I have a full head of steam on now, and the safety valve is likely to blow off at any minute.

Have just been looking over Britton's new flora. I like it.

I hope that you are well.

Thine ever

J. H. B.



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*St. Augustine, Fla. Dec. 13 1896*

My Dear Deane:

You will be surprised to hear from me here. I am surprised to be here. I had been about used up for a long time, and on the 1st of Dec. I was in New York to go to the South. My destination was not fixed, but I thought of the tropics. I engaged a berth on the Gompanche. Ten minutes before her sailing time, I had a telegram saying that Mr. Lodeman was dead! He was my chief assistant, and all my work was left in his hands. I threw up my

ticket and went home. You have before this read of his suicide. It was very sad, and wholly inexplicable. He was almost one of my family. It has almost crushed Mrs. Bailey. She went to Michigan with his remains. She returned a week ago this day. This and many other trials came near upsetting me; so, largely to allay my wife's worry, I left again, and here I am!

This all a strange burden to me. I shall leave here tomorrow or next day, and push on down the peninsula. My wandering will be partly aimless. I want recreation. But, incidentally, I shall look at plants and the agriculture. I must be home early in January, for my work is all stopped. I have been wandering on the sea-coast to-day, in the palmettos & live-oaks.

Yours ever L. W. Bailey

Key West,

Dec. 19 '96

My Dear Deane,

They tell me  
that it is December and  
show me the calendar to  
prove it; but I am con-  
vinced that the calendar  
lies. Leastwise, the  
mercury is over 80°;  
and the streets are  
hot and dusty. The  
Cocoa-nuts are hanging  
from the trees in  
front of my window,  
and the gardens are  
brilliant with many  
flowers which are utterly  
strange to me. Now  
bewildered and per-  
plexed I am, and how



These curious tropical plants tantalize me! I am making a serious effort to understand the cultivated things, and I have got the palms pretty well in hand. To-day I took a sail out to a cluster of keys which are densely covered with mangroves, and took some pictures of these island-builders.

This is the strangest city which I have ever seen. I can't make it seem like a part of my Uncle Sam's property. Spanish is the prevailing language, and the place is a hotbed of the Cuban revolution.

The cows are driven through the streets, and are milked, whilst you wait. The drinking water is all from the clouds and is held in great raised cisterns. The top of the earth is the sewer.

I leave in the morning for the Florida mainland and am going into the Everglades. Feeling well.

Thine ever,  
F. H. Bailey



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On the *St. John's River,*  
*Florida*  
~~Boston,~~ Christmas 1896

My Dear Deane:

Merry Christmas, old fellow! How are you! You are as mum as an oyster. I am still living in a grip and jimping hotel bills, and don't know when I shall get down to my saw-back again. But I am crawling along northward, and shall reach Jacksonville sometime if I keep on walking. But I am in no hurry. I have chartered this ship, the "City of Jacksonville" (one of the finest river boats I have seen). At all events, I am the only cabin passenger aboard, and I am fully conscious of the dignity of my position. I shall eat all there is on the boat and sleep in every berth; and when I get to my destination, my dozen coachmen will be there to take me off (or take me in).

I have now seen many of the

unspeakable wonders of Florida, — the tropical keys, the everglades, the immaculate sand, the imperishable mosquito, the abounding confidence of the settlers in the possibilities of the country, the tropical luxuriance of the hotel bills, the cypress and the palm, the umbrageous nigger, the florid Seminole, and the razor-back hog.

I have still many guideless days left, and my repertoire of arguments will be so full that I can't get the lid down before I seriously turn my heels to the southward. I can't begin to tell you all that I know. We will someday have to set down in the sand (as these happy people do when they have a "norther") and talk it out. Our circumstances are very important factors in the individuality of ourselves. I am now so cut loose from my accustomed moorings, that I am obliged to look at my name in my note-book to convince myself that I am I. Yours, for always,

F. H. Bailey



Ithaca, N. Y., Jan. 5, 1897

My Dear Deane:

Ever so much obliged for  
your little remembrance. It stands  
on my table in front of me.

There is no one place, so far as  
I know, where your friend can find any  
full or consecutive account of the in-  
troduction of Japanese plants. The poorest  
things I now recall are Essay XV. in  
"Survival of the Unfit", and a little sketch  
of oriental fruits in "Annals of Horticulture  
for 1889", p. 28. The files of Garden &  
Forest will give invaluable in-  
formation. American Gardening once  
had a serial account of Japanese  
exotic plants by Prof. Georgeson.

Lots of students & lots of work;  
but I enjoy the fuss, because it makes  
me think that I am doing something.  
Yours truly  
L. H. Bailey

Ithaca, N. Y.,

Jan. 24 1897

My Dear Deane;

No, I don't like the obliteration of var. Deanei, and shall not submit to it in my own writings. It is more distinct, as I see it, than some things which Britton elevates. This shows how much a matter of judgment these species and varieties are. I am aware of it in Vitis, too, which I am now monographing for Dr. Robinson. Munson sees about 23 species in North America, and Regel sees two! Expect to finish my musing up of Vitis this week. I have all the Harvard material.

Hope you are well. Love,  
Thine ever,

L. N. Bailey

HORTICULTURAL DEPARTMENT, CORNELL UNIVERSITY.

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Ithaca, N. Y., Feb. 23 1897.

Dear Deane: Yours (addressed to New York City) about the plum is at hand. Should be surprised if it turned out to be *P. maritima*. The only time it has been reported inland is in the Flora of Chicago. I am well.

L. H. B.

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Ithaca, N. Y.,

Apr. 23 1897

My Dear Deane:

What an age it has been since  
I have written you! But you are  
not the only one. My table has lots  
of letters which ought to have  
been answered long ago, but I don't  
like to dictate letters of friend-  
ship to my stenographer, and  
so they accumulate. Pray for-  
give me, and give me a chance  
to redeem myself. The fact is that  
I have not been well for some  
time, and I am gradually letting  
things "slide". I have had the  
heavy responsibilities and  
duties. Now they are slipping  
off my shoulders and the

Reaction seems quite to upset me.  
When term is done, I am going  
off for a long rest.

Here is your letter of March  
It unanswered! That curious lemon  
- like fruit - must be the true lime,  
Citrus Medica var. Limetta, - not the  
sour lime of our markets.

Yes, I will send our publica-  
tions to Mr. Dame, and shall hope  
that they will not give him the  
nightmare.

My man Miller was taken with  
your terbarium. Even so much  
oblige for your courtesy to him.

I should prefer not to speak  
of the maple flowers as male and  
female, because they may be  
both. It might do to call  
them sterile and fertile flowers,



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for such they usually are.

Glad you are going into Hew-  
itt's Museum, but you must not  
become so grossly absorbed in  
ornithological heresies that you  
lose yourself to botany.

I have not seen any *Vitis*  
from north of Maine, and am quite  
sure that it does not grow in  
Labrador.

Now, if you will forgive  
me all my misdeeds, I will try to  
turn over a new leaf.

Yours ever,

L. H. Bailey

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Ithaca, N. Y.,

Apr. 28 1897

My Dear Deane;

I am greatly pained to hear of your dear mother's death. I lost my own mother when I was five years old, but my stepmother is still living and she is very dear to me. My father still lives, past 77. Perhaps, therefore, I cannot feel the deep sympathy of experience, but I know how strong the parental ties are, and I think I can feel the keenness of the shock of the final separation. As I grow older I am coming more and more into a spirit of resignation, and a desire to dwell as much upon the sweetness of mem-



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ory as upon the bitterness of sorrow.  
Your mother's memory will be your  
solace now, and how rich a  
memory it will be! I know that  
the great old house will seem bare  
and cheerless, but it will be your  
constant reminder of one whom you  
loved. Be sure, my dear friend,  
that I feel for you.

No matter about the express.  
The plants I retained are worth  
more than that, even if I desired  
to count the pennies.

I wrote to Mr. Peck for another  
copy of the report & could not get  
it; so I persuaded a friend  
that he did not want his. It  
is in better hands now!

The sweet and golden spring-  
time is upon us. Every plant and  
bird drops a cheery note, and  
the cool fragrant winds kiss the  
tall soft grass in which I love  
to lie. Next to love and  
friendship, this quiet sympathy  
with nature is the greatest  
blessing which man can enjoy.  
I sit on the cool banks with  
the violets and trilliums and  
am richer than Croesus.

Yours most truly,

J. H. Bailey

Ithaca, N. Y.,

June 22, 1897

My Dear Deane:

Glad to know that you are  
to get away for the summer. You  
will enjoy the country again. As  
for us, we all sail (wife & 2  
girls) on June 30 for Antwerp,  
and the family will probably  
live abroad for a year or two.  
I shall return in the fall. You  
can reach me at Antwerp in  
care of Red Star Line. We  
leave here next Monday,  
& sail on S.S. "Kensington". I  
am tired out & am going for  
a complete recreation & shall  
not try to learn a thing.  
Thine forever L. H. Bailey

HORTICULTURAL DEPARTMENT, CORNELL UNIVERSITY.

L. H. BAILEY.

Ithaca, N. Y., June 25-1897.

Dear Deane: Yes, send to  
Rex Star Line, Antwerp;  
but Antwerp is in Bel-  
gium. I am going for  
fun, shall try not to learn  
a thing!

L.H.B.

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Walter Deane,

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gün July 9 or 10. Am  
Course after that is  
to be shifty. I want  
to get out to London  
to look up Rubro,  
and also to Berlin for  
the same purpose. But  
I am going mostly  
for the wife and  
kiddlets and shall try  
to come back with  
my head as empty  
as it is now.

Goodbye; and a good  
Summer.  
Regards fall to  
us & our wife.

W. Dailly

The Aldine Club

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June 29, 1897

Dear Deane: The  
baggage is aboard,  
letters of credits ar-  
ranged, and all  
else is in readiness  
save only the ship;  
and she will be  
ready to-morrow.  
If the weather is  
well behaved, we  
shall reach Bel-



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My Dear Deane:

Your letter reached me to-day, and I am very glad to have a message from an old friend and from America,

now that I find myself in such strange lands. This is a new world to us all, — the dikes bordering the sea and the streams, the diminutive houses all of which are models of cleanness, the curiosities of dress, the centuries-old character of this quaint Antwerp, and the thousand and one other curious things. It is a quiet little land, this Belgium, so thickly settled and of all external appearances so happy. I care less for the cathedrals and the statues — although I hope that I appreciate them — than I do for those more important matters which really show how the people live and think. I am even afraid that

I ~~can~~ care more for the social and economic conditions, than I do for botany and horticulture.

We were nearly 11 days on the Ocean, but there were only two rough days & we were not sea-sick. The children were happy and were sorry to get off.

July 13. My letter was interrupted by our departure from quaint old Antwerp. Two young lady friends of Mrs. Bailey and ourselves desired to see something of real Flemish provincial life, so I undertook to take them to a small city near Brussels, Vilvoorde by name. I found myself — with 3 women & 2 children on my hands — in a town where there was no hotel, no English, and only now and then a man who spoke a little dialectic German, and no way of getting out for the night. My experience would make a small book. It is only enough to say that we got out of the place alive and are now in Brussels. We shall strike the Rhine in two or three days. I hope to hear from you often. We are all well.

Yours ever  
A. H. Bailey

München, Bavaria. July 24

Dear Anne:  
We have been here nearly a week,  
and are now pretty well settled. We  
have engaged a governess for the  
children and have our rooms and  
pension also provided. The children  
are very happy, and Mrs. B. is falling  
into the strange ways very readily, and  
will, I think, soon like it. I shall  
leave here about Aug. 7, going to Berlin  
& Hamburg, thro' Holland and over to England.  
I am after Rubens, & shall go to see the ma-  
terial at Vienna, also, if necessary. Rubens  
is in a bad way. Hope you are well.  
We are. Munich is a delightful city. L. A. Bailey

Mrs. B. & I will probably go to the Alps  
next week.

Deutschland. — Allemagne.  
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Walter Deane,

Whitefield,

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München, Aug. 7

Dear Deane: Yesterday's  
mail brought me yours of the  
8th (it had been held in  
Antwerp) and to-day's yours  
of the 24th. Glad to hear I  
did not meet Brewster.  
Sorry! It is new that I had  
seen the face, but did  
not speak to him, & the  
name on the passenger  
list never appealed to me.  
I leave here for Leipzig &  
Berlin next Wednesday (the  
11th). It will be hard to  
leave my family so far  
away, but one makes  
any sacrifice for the bene-  
fit of his children. I sail  
from Liverpool Sept. 7 on the  
Aurania. Will visit  
Holland & Belgium again in  
the meantime (and possibly  
France). All well.  
L. St. Bailey

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Mr. Walter Deane,  
Whitefield,  
New Hampshire,  
Nord-Amerika.



Stur für die Störfe.  
Gate reserve a l'adresse.



I am glad to know that my  
humble performance in Vitis meets  
with any commendation. I have lost  
all track of botanical news, but  
will catch up when I reach  
London next week.

With dinners, knepies, being  
witness in a German law suit,  
and many other things, I am  
getting something of an insight  
into German life. I am im-  
mensely interested in this country,  
but my visit is about done  
and my affections are longing  
for Cayuga Lake, but there is a  
sad backward glance  
towards Munich.

Goodbye, my dear fellow,  
and best regards to the wife.  
L. H. Bailey

HÔTEL ZUM KRONPRINZEN  
HAMBURG.

Aug. 24, 1897

My Dear Deane,

Your most welcome  
letter of the 9th inst. has just  
reached me from München.  
I assure you that a letter  
from America is most wel-  
come, and especially from you.  
I long to see the White Moun-  
tains, but they are so far away  
from my little Ithaca and  
beloved Cayuga that I fear  
I shall never reach them.  
I am now like a falling  
star. I am drifting. My fam-  
ily is in Munster, in ex-  
treme southeastern Germany,  
and my face is set toward  
the west. I don't know  
when I shall see them  
again; and for the long  
winter months I must be a

boarder in a strange house. It will be a trying year for both the wife & myself, & both of us, I know, look forward to it with much apprehension. But we are making the sacrifice for the children's sakes, & some do not repine. I have left the family in comfortable circumstances, the children have a good governess, and I have put enough money in bank in Guineaten to enable the entire family (governess & all, for I have engaged her to come to Africa) to come to America at any time they like. I am half inclined to think that they will surprise me before the winter is over. I leave for Holland in four or five days, & have engaged to sail from Liverpool on the 7th on the ~~Thurania~~, but I am trying to get my ticket transferred to the ~~Campania~~ for the 4th.

The great Gartenbau Ausstellung is in progress here. It is the finest show of plants ever made. The special autumn show opens on the 27th, and I am one of the prize judges. It is a great event in my narrow life. The week ends with a great dinner, at which such men as Goebel & Schus-Sambach will be present.

Aug. 24,

Forgot to say in my letter that I  
want to get sprays of fruit to photo-  
graph of *Vaccinium* *Vitis-Idaea*  
+ *V. Oxycoceus* + *Rubus Chamae-*  
*morus*. If this reaches you before  
You leave N.H., you may be able to  
secure one or more of them for me  
+ send them to my assistants at Atha-  
ca, C.E. Hann. I have seen Willden-  
ow's + Link's *Rubus* at Berlin. Everyone  
will one the day that I publish on the  
genus; but I must do it! L.A.B.

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Walter Deane,  
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The Home Club  
25 Fifth Avenue

Sept. 16. 1897

My Dear Deane:

I found myself upon American soil last night, after having spent over 8 days, of comparatively pleasant weather, upon the stormy Atlantic. I enjoyed the best of health & appetite during the journey; & now I go home to gather up the strands of my work & to begin normal ac-

tivity. I hope that you & the wife are well. Pray give her my love, & reserve some for yourself; & believe me that I am glad to get on shore.

Thine forever,

L. H. Bailey

Dear Me! I dropped a nickel in the slot when I went away, & now a new book has sprung forth. I send you a copy.

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Henry Baldwin

Secretary of State

Washington



SYRACUSE, N. Y.

Nov. 10

1897

Dear Deane:

Much obliged for the  
information. So do I  
want to see thee; and I  
shall be going through  
the Hub in about  
three weeks & will  
slight at thy door  
for a minute.

Thine always,  
F. W. B.

HORTICULTURAL DEPARTMENT, CORNELL UNIVERSITY.

L. H. BAILEY.

Ithaca, N. Y., Nov. 26 1897.

Most kind of you to  
send the carices. I appreciate them. I shall arrive in  
Boston now Tuesday night, 30th.  
+ go out to N.H. early Wed. morn-  
ing, so shall not be at Canning  
bridge. Returning Thursday will  
come out to see you over night.

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Walter Deane,  
Pewster Place,  
Cambridge,  
Mass.

Revere House,  
Boston, Mass.

Nov. 30 1897

Dear Deane:

I leave here  
in the morning for the  
purpose of haranguing  
certain people at Roth-  
ester, N.H. Returning, arrive  
in Boston Thursday fore-  
noon. Go to Botanic  
Garden in P.M., & stay  
with you at night.  
Leave for Ithaca Friday  
morning.

Yours

F. W. Bailey

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Ithaca, N. Y., Dec. 8 1897

Dear Deane:

I know that I should  
be spanked for not returning  
the money sooner. Enclosed find  
check. I found so much  
work waiting me that I have  
only now had an opportunity  
to take a full breath +

get to the bank. I had a  
fine time, — Thanks to  
you & Mrs. D.

Yours —

F. H. B.



Xmas

Dear Deane:

Merry Christmas to you & your'n!  
My Christmas is very lonely, but  
it is only 12 weeks until I take  
wings to the other side. I sent  
for my wife to come home, but  
she wires me that she will not!  
Many thanks for the book. I had  
ordered one for you, but it will  
not get here until next week,

Yours ever,

F. W. Bailey